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WASHINGTON.

The Texas Pacific Railroad Bill Passed the Senate.

A Committee of Steamboatmen at the Treasury.

Causes Alleged for Increased Disasters on Western Waters.

The Case of the Kansas Senators in Committee.

CHICAGO RELIEF FUNDS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—E. T. Merrick, Chairman of the Chicago Relief Committee, has been endeavoring to raise the balance of the money voted for the relief of Chicago, $75,000, and Governor Cooke has expressed his willingness to advance the money and await action of the Commissioners of the sinking fund.

THE KANSAS SENATORS.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections met and took up the case of the Kansas Senators, to-day. Examination showed that the Committee had received no instructions, and had no power to call witnesses; no conclusion as to the method of proceeding was reached. It was agreed that the matter should go over until Tuesday, when a definite course will be agreed upon. Meantime a number of prominent citizens of Kansas are here, ready to give testimony if the Committee really undertake to investigate the matter.

[Texas Associated Press.]

CAUSES OF STEAMBOAT DISASTERS.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The Executive Committee of the Convention of steamboatmen, now in session here, called on the Secretary of the Treasury, to-day, in relation to the bill now before Congress making material modifications in the Steamboat law. Mr. Scattergood, being chosen spokesman for the committee, presented the proposition for a short session, following which, after a brief hearing, referred the Committee to Judge Richardson, to whom they explained their views at length. The interesting and important feature of the interview was a statement concerning the frequency of steamboat accidents, loss of life, property, &c., by steam navigation. From it we asserted that fifteen years ago steamboats of the country carried 50 per cent more passengers, and 150 per cent more freight than now, while the loss of life and property by accident was a great deal less than now. The material which went into the construction of steamboats machinery was then far superior in quality to that now used, and a greater degree of vigilance was exercised by engineers than now. The reason for the relaxation of vigilance by engineers is the various automatic safety appliances patent and otherwise, now required by steamboat regulations to be attached to engines and boilers to prevent explosions, the effect of which tends to render engineers less watchful. It was also stated that there is a deficiency of 10 to 15 per cent in the quality of iron and other material going into the construction of steam machinery, particularly boilers, compared with that formerly used. Judge Richardson will hear the Committee further on Monday.

AN IMPEACHED JUDGE.

The House Committee on Judiciary, to-day examined several witnesses in regard to charges against Judge Delahay, District Judge for Kansas.

THE JAPS VISIT MOUNT VERNON.

Iwakura and twenty-eight others of the Japanese Embassy left on a Government vessel, this morning, for Mount Vernon, to visit the tomb of Washington.

APPOINTED.

John Jay Knox has been appointed Comptroller of the Currency.

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 20.

A bill was passed authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at Brownville, Neb.

Mr. CARPENTER introduced a bill to restore the waters of Bay Superior to their natural outlet at Superior City.

Mr. SCOTT moved to take up House bill to reduce the duty on tea and coffee.

Mr. TRUMBULL moved to amend so as to repeal the duty on salt and coal.

At the conclusion of the morning hour, unfinished business, viz., the Texas Pacific Railroad bill, came up.

Mr. RAMSAY moved to lay it on the table for the purpose of taking up the Postal Code bill. Lost.

Amendments were adopted limiting the issue of construction bonds to $40,000 per mile, and authorizing the Company to mortgage in the mortgages to secure their land bonds; and that they may acquire by consolidation with other companies to whom land grants have been made, provided, however, that this act shall not be construed to revive or make any land grant whatever, and provided, further, that lands so acquired shall be subject to all obligations, limitations and conditions now existing by law, and that the acts shall not be construed to authorize the diversion of any of the lands, etc., from the purpose for which they were granted; also, providing that the Company shall commence the construction of the road from San Diego eastward within one year from the passage of this act, and shall construct, after the second year, not less than 25 miles a year until a junction is made with the line from the east.

Upon an amendment authorizing the Grand River and San Diego Pacific Railroad Company to build from Yuma, Ariz., to a point on the Texas & Pacific Road, a discussion arose as to the right of Congress to grant the right of way and authorize the construction of a road through a State, after which the amendment was withdrawn.

Mr. BAULDBUH offered an amendment providing that the road shall not be exempt from taxation by States which may hereafter be formed out of territory through which it runs. Agreed to.

An amendment providing that the road from Marshall, Texas, shall be of uniform gauge, was agreed to.

Mr. KELLOGG, from the Committee, reported an amendment authorizing the Texas Pacific Railroad Company to complete and operate a road from Marshall, Texas, to Shreveport, La. Agreed to.

The bill having been considered in Committee of the Whole, it was reported to the Senate, and amendments made in Committee were concurred in, except the amendment to go to taxation by States, which was rejected,—yeas, 17; nays, 30.

Mr. BLAIR offered an amendment attending the grant for the construction of the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad for three years, but after some discussion withdrew it.

Mr. BAYARD renewed it, and advocated it, but afterwards withdrew it.

The bill then passed.

Mr. SCOTT moved to take up the House bill to repeal the duty on tea and coffee.

Mr. BLAIR called for the yeas and nays, which were taken, and resulted—yeas, 23; nays 7, no quorum voting.

On motion of Mr. CONKLING, the Sergeant-at-Arms was sent for absentees, and in about an hour the Sergeant-at-Arms returned, and reported that he had notified all absent Senators, and as there was still no quorum, a motion was made to direct the Sergeant-at-Arms to bring in as many absentees as were required, along with those present, to form a quorum. The motion was ruled out of order, and then the Senate adjourned.

DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS

Retail Department.

Notions.

Combs—Shell, Ivory, Buffalo.
Brushes—English, French and American.
Tooth Brushes—Imported and Domestic, a large assortment.
Satchels, Bags, Puffs, &c.
Threads, Sewing Silks and Twists.
Needles, Thimbles, &c., &c.
Dress Buttons, Fringes, &c.

We have just opened the handsomest line of Black and Colored Crochet Dress Buttons and Fringes we have yet shown, in all the new shades and colors.

J. V. FARWELL & CO.,
Monroe and Franklin-sts.

Retail Department.

Laces and Embroideries.

A very desirable lot of Real Lace Collars just received, very much under price.

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Ladies will find a large assortment in all the newest shades and colors in fine Poult de Soie and Gros Grain Ribbons.

Scarfs in choice new styles, plain and tasseled.

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This department has just been added to our establishment. Everything is fresh and new, of this season's make and style, and at our usual low prices.

J. V. FARWELL & CO.,
Monroe and Franklin-sts.

N. B.—We are happy to inform our patrons and the public generally, that we have effected an arrangement with the line of omnibuses known as "Young's," to pass and repass our store on Monroe-st., to and from Washington-st. Tunnel to Wabash-av. and Twenty-second-st. every five minutes.

HAMLIN, HALE & COMPANY,
Dry Goods,
Wholesale,
31 and 33 South Canal-st., and 32 to 41 West Washington-st.
Retail,
329 and 330 West Madison-st., corner Aberdeen-st.,
Will receive daily, during the season, new and choice
Dress Fabrics and Fancy Goods.
Have a large
stock of American Cottons and Woollens
bought previous to
the advance.

FOR SALE.

LIME! LIME! LIME!

We shall hereafter keep on hand Cicero Lime, formerly known as Sturtevant Lime.

Miner T. Ames & Co.,
COAL MERCHANTS,
1 West Randolph-st.

For Sale.

IRON FOUNDRY, now in complete running order; doing a good business; capacity, ten tons per day. Will be sold at a bargain, if taken at once.
FORD MANFG. CO., 50 W. Washington-st.

LUMBER!

We have some long Timber, dry, which we will sell cheap to the Trade or Builders.
HANCOCK, NAY & CO.,
No 5 West Twelfth-st.

For Sale or Rent,

To a responsible party, the furniture complete of a small house. Will take first-class board (either in the city or country) in payment. Address A 56, Tribune Branch office.

READY MADE DWELLINGS,

Cheap for Cash, May be Obtained Before the 1st of May,
Corner North Clark and Erie-sts.

MEETINGS.

Attention, Sir Knights.

Special Conclave of CHICAGO COMMANDERY, No. 19, K. T., Monday evening, at 7½ o'clock. Work on K. T. Order.
By order of the E. C.
JOHN WHITLEY, Recorder.

Masonic.

Wahbansia Lodge No. 160 meets Monday evening, April 22, at Apollo Lodge Hall, corner of Twenty-eighth and State-sts., "for work." Visiting brethren cordially invited.
T. M. CHURCH, W. M.
R. ST. JOHN, Sec'y.

A. P. A.

Members of Washington Lodge No. 1, A. F. A. are hereby notified to be at their hall next Wednesday evening, at ½ o'clock, as business of importance is to come before said body. By order of W. M.
GEORGE SIMONS, R. S.

A. P. A.

The members of "Star of the West" Lodge, No. 2, American Protestant Association, are hereby notified to attend the next quarterly meeting, at their hall, northeast corner Union and Randolph-sts., on Thursday evening next, April 25, at 7:30. Election of officers will also take place. By order of the W. M.
A. ROBERTSON, Rec. Sec'y.

UNITED ANCIENT ORDER DRUIDS.

COLUMBIA GROVE NO. 5, U. A. O. D., meets TUESDAY, April 23, 1872, at 8 p. m., at 74 South Clark-st., for election of officers for the ensuing term.
By order of the N. A.
F. and R. Secretary.

The Annual Meeting

Of the stockholders of the Atlantic Dock Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 134 West Washington-st., on Tuesday, May 7, 1872, at 2 P. M.
JAS. R. BLAIRY, Secretary.
CHICAGO, April 14, 1872.

CLOTHING.

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FRESH ARRIVALS OF
SPLENDID
BLUE TRICOT SUITS,
Equal to Custom-Made, at the
INTERNATIONAL.
The rush still continues for our $10, $12, and $15 Scotch Suits. Other Goods equally low.
AND STILL THEY COME TO
Needham's International
ONE PRICE
Clothing House,
188
WEST MADISON-ST.

MILLINERY.

OUR NEW STORE.

GAGE
BROTHERS
& CO.

Will be pleased to see their customers and the Trade at their new premises,
227 & 229 Wabash-av.,
On and after
Monday, April 22, '72.

We have the LARGEST BUILDING devoted to our line of business in the UNITED STATES. Also, the LARGEST STOCK, and sell at the LOWEST PRICES.

Orders Carefully Filled.

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C. D. AUSTIN & CO.

Would announce that they have opened a
Retail Department
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UNION POCKET CUTLERY.
Also a large stock and great variety of
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IMPROVED
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French Yoke Shirts
MADE TO ORDER.

Neck Dressings,
Fine Hosiery,
Silk Suspenders,
Spring Underwear, &c.,
AT
PORTER & HOYT'S,
130 TWENTY-SECOND-ST.

MUSICAL.

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Invoices received daily of Hallet, Davis & Co.'s, Lyhte & Co.'s, and Union Pianos, and Smith's American Organs.

All orders to the Trade filled with despatch.

New Pianos to rent.

Second-hand Pianos at great bargains.

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Bet. Sixteenth & Eighteenth-sts.

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LADIES' FURNISHING STORE
140 SOUTH HALSTED-ST.

Ladies' Underwear, Suits, Aprons, Lace Goods, &c.

JUST RECEIVED:

1,200 Striped Piqué Aprons, 25 cts. upward.
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A full line of Drawers, Night Dresses, Bridal Sets, Lace Collars, Sleeves, &c.
McDOWELL & HALPENNY.

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PARTNER WANTED,

Either active or special, with from $3,000 to $5,000, to take an interest in an established legitimate business, which will pay $2,000 a month. Full investigation solicited. First-class city references given and required. Address C 55, Tribune office.

To Architects.

A good Draughtsman wanted, corner of State and Madison-sts. Oak Building.
O. ZUCKER, Architect.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Batchelder & Benton, is this day dissolved. Geo. C. Benton retiring from the firm.
WEBSTER BATCHELDER.
GEO. C. BENTON.
CHICAGO, April 14, 1872.

CROCKERY, &c.

F. & E. JAEGER,

73 Wabash-av.,
Only one block from terminus of South and West Side street cars.

French China, Decorated, Richly Gilded, and Plain White DINNER, TEA, and TOILET SETS.

Bohemian Glass VASES, RUFF SETS, and TABLE WARE.

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Silver-Plated and Britannia Ware, Cutlery, Waiters, etc., etc.

All of the best quality, greatest variety, and at the lowest prices. Nothing like it in the city.

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MEDIUM AND FINE,
AT VERY LOW PRICES.
RUDOLPH & THOMALEN'S,
255 West Washington-st., bet. Union & Halsted.

AND YET A FEW DAYS.

The slaughter will be unabated! We shall continue, until May the 1st, the great clearing sale of FURNITURE, preparatory to removal. Profit sacrificed to expediency. Absolutely WITHOUT RESERVE.

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FURNITURE COMP'Y,
Cor. Clark and Jackson-sts.

WM. W. STRONG,
Fashionable
FURNITURE,
[Late 201 Randolph-st.,]
353 to 359 W. Randolph-st., Chicago.
Branch Salesroom, Wabash-av. and 22d-st.
We call special attention to our stock of Low Priced Goods, suitable for present demands.

REMOVALS.

REMOVAL.

J. P. STONE & CO.
HAVE REMOVED TO
136 Twenty-second-st.,
With a full line of DRAPERIES, LACE CURTAINS, UPHOLSTERING MATERIALS, BEDDING, &c., &c., at WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

REMOVAL.

THE BANKING OFFICE OF THE
International Mut. Trust Co.,
Will be removed on MONDAY, APRIL 22, to
133 LaSalle-st.,
Near Madison (Boone Block.)
B. LOEWENTHAL, President.
BENJAMIN A. HOFFMAN, Cashier.

REMOVAL.

DANA, HYDE & CO. (N. C. DRAPER, Western Agent) to 91 River-st.

We invite attention of buyers to our fresh fall stock of teas, syrups, and staple groceries.

REMOVAL.

CHARLES J. BEATTIE, Counsellor at Law, has removed his law office to (Rice's new building) suit of rooms, No. 2 and 3, No. 79 Dearborn-st.

Dr. Odelia Blinn,
Formerly of 309 North Clark-st., and since the fire of 126 West Lake-st., has removed to 48 North May-st. At home until 10 a. m. and after 5 p. m.

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NIGHT AND DAY.

MARINE GLASSES.

Have just received a choice selection.

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ROEHL'S HUMAN HAIR PALACE,

Formerly 107 S. Clark-st.,
Has again opened with a magnificent Stock of
HAIR GOODS
AT
134 Twenty-second-st.

TO RENT.

Exchange Building,

CORNER
Clark and Washington-sts.

OFFICES, STORES,

AND LARGE HALL
TO RENT.

STORES TO RENT.

Five Stores, with basements, in the GRUND BLOCK, on State-st., near Twentieth. Also, Stores 800 and 802, next to Burlington Crossing, on State-st.

Inquire of owner, 1023 Wabash-av., from 10 to 1 o'clock.

TO RENT.

The premises, 226 East Monroe-st., now occupied by us, consisting of two shops, each 24x84, and 90 feet square, of ground.

These shops are centrally located; could be used for carpenter-shops or for storage purposes. Apply on premises, to BROWN BROTHERS, Sidewalk Light Manufacturers.

TO RENT.

Second, Third, and Fourth Floors of Store No. 20 Market-st., Lind Block. Apply to WM. H. SAMPSON & CO., 235 West Madison-st., Real Estate and House Renting Agency.

TO RENT,

From May 1, part of our store, No. 37 River-st., at a reasonable rate to the right parties. Inquire at the store, from 10 to 11 a. m., and 3 to 4 p. m. BOGARDUS BROS.

TO RENT.

Three stores and basements, northeast corner of Kinzie and Dearborn-sts., 30x100 each. Possession May 1.

DOCK PROPERTY.

A very desirable piece of dock property, adjoining Alton Railroad, 400 feet front, docked and dredged, for one or a term of years. Will be sold cheap. Inquire of HUGH MAHER, 56 South Canal-st.

DOCK PROPERTY TO RENT

In New Lumber district. 200 feet dock front by 264 feet deep, on Sangamon's Canal, for a term of years, for $1,400 per annum and ordinary taxes. Railroad track laid and street planked. Apply to E. G. MASON, 522 Wabash-av.

Dock to Rent.

On South Branch, West side, near Washington-st.; location central, and if desired, will erect building to suit tenant. J. D. HAYES, 204 Wabash-av.

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Corner Eldridge-court and State-st., 80 to 90 rooms. Arranged to suit tenant. Possession in June.
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At reasonable rates, four stores now being erected in the new
PRODUCE EXCHANGE BUILDING,
Southeast corner South Water and LaSalle-sts. Will be ready for occupation about May 1st next.
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Fine office in the new Brinkworth Building, Nos. 73 and 74 Monroe-st. Apply to WM. H. SAMPSON & CO., Real Estate and House Renting Agency, 235 West Madison-st.

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Four-story and basement building, No. 71 West Washington-st.
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150 feet of dock at Polk-st. bridge, with other property running back nearly to Railroad. Suitable for manufacturing purposes. Apply to
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Three doors south of Madison.
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I will sell all sizes of damaged Lackawanna coal at $5 per ton, in order to close out stock on hand. To manufacturers and large consumers, it is cheaper than any other coal in the market.
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TEA SETS, COFFEE URNS, CAKE BASKETS, ICE PITCHERS, IVORY KNIVES AND CARVERS, SPOONS, FORKS, AND LADLES.

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In the Burnt District,
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We are authorized to offer for sale, at a great bargain, this valuable piece of property, fronting 160 feet on Washington-st., the Wall-st. of Chicago, and also having a frontage of 92 feet on State-st., the Broadway.

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Sixty feet on the northwest corner of State and Washington sts. This desirable piece of property is primarily valuable as a site for a Merchant's Hotel, Banks, Insurance offices, or stores. It will be surrounded by some of the most magnificent buildings in Chicago.

Hibbard & Spencer's old Site,

66x138 feet, on the east side of Michigan-av. and extending to Canal-st., between Lake and Kandolph-sts., having 66-foot pavement front and rear, making it the best site for a wholesale house in the burnt district. Goods can be conveyed in any part of the building, as the light from the rear is unobstructed.

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66x132 feet, on the northwest corner of Washington-st. and Fifth-av., just the place for a first-class banking building.

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This property fronts 101 feet on Monroe-st. and extends 182 feet on Custom House court, giving it as far as light is concerned, all the advantages of a corner, and making it a desirable site for finest office building store on the south side of the river.

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The Barnum & Richardson manufacturing site fronting 10 rods on Jefferson and Jefferson-sts., having upon it a brick building well adapted for any heavy manufacturing business, or can be easily converted into retail stores. Also, 165x165 feet on Canal-st., opposite the present Tribune office.

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The two-story frame house, with lot 66x118, No. 236 South Morgan-st., near Adams. The house, which is in good condition in every respect, contains 11 rooms, with cabinet mantels, bath-room, water and laundry, and plenty of large closets; brick basement under the rear portion of the house. This property is in the immediate neighborhood of many of the finest improvements in the West Division and very convenient to churches, schools, and markets. Immediate possession given. Apply to the owner, WM. R. MARLAY, 191 West Madison-st., Room 1.

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Three marble front houses and lots on one of the South Side avenues.

Two frame houses and lots, well rented, South Side. Eighty feet on Drexel-av. Boulevard.

Three vacant lots, South Side, by W. E. SMITH, 81 Tyler Stone Works, foot of Wabansia-av., or E. EUGENE CADWELL, 50 Central Union Block.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A first-class brick house, 14 rooms, large cellar, 2 cisterns, marble mantels, bath-room, stable, carriage house, conservatory, &c., &c. Grounds 264x170 feet, well laid out and covered with large trees, evergreens, &c., in a pleasant and desirable neighborhood, and only 5 minutes' walk from street cars. Terms of payment made very easy. Apply to
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Save Time—Trouble and Money.

Parties wishing to buy homes on the South Side, can buy them cheaper by giving their orders to a real estate man, who will look up the property desired, than by secret agencies. Orders promptly filled without charge to buyer. Call or address
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FOR SALE.

At a bargain, lot 60x166, on Van Buren-st., between Wabash and Michigan-avs. Apply to C. H. & G. C. WALKER, LaSalle-st., near Washington-st.

FOR SALE.

House No. 27 Twenty-fifth-st., marble front, three story and basement, 14 rooms. All modern improvements. Apply to C. H. & G. C. WALKER, LaSalle, near Washington-st.

TO CAPITALISTS.

We have for sale 400 feet more front on Michigan-av., south of Fortieth-st., which we regard as one of the best investing offers[illegible] on Michigan-av. property is advancing rapidly in value, and no other place like this can be found.
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A fine manufacturing property, with buildings, machinery, side track, etc., at Austin.
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Lots 21 and 22, Block 5, for sale—100 feet. Fine grove in front. Three blocks from depot. Sidewalk all the way. Terms easy. Address E 67, Tribune office.

A GREAT BARGAIN.

We will sell our Brick House, and Lot, 109 South Hoyne-st. Lot, 25x120, east front, for $4,000, if taken at once
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FOR SALE.

81 PARK-AV., near Union Park, fine brick house and 30 feet lot; house newly refitted; will be sold at a bargain on very easy terms. GRENELEAF & PAUL,
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DOCK PROPERTY FOR SALE OR RENT.

300x200 feet on North Branch, between Erie-st. and Chicago Ave., Larrabee. Will be sold at a bargain, or rented from first of May.
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HOUSE FOR SALE,
WITH FURNITURE.
No. 110 Loomis-st. Apply on Premises.

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We have for rent all the best residences on PRAIRIE-AV., INDIANA-AV., MICHIGAN-AV., and WABASH-AV., North and South of Twenty-second-st. Also for sale at low figures if sold before May 1, R. W. THOMAS, Real Estate Office, 374 East Madison-st.

REAL ESTATE.

BIG BARGAIN.

FOR SALE,
OR
RENT.

House, with all modern improvements, good barn, grounds 50 by 130 feet to alley, with furniture, if desired. Liberal terms and immediate possession. Must be disposed of at once, as the owner is about to leave the city.

Apply on premises, 109 South Robey-st., or to HALE & BRO., Furniture, 10, 12, 14 & 16 Canal-st.

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Elegant Residence Property on and adjacent to

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The most desirable MANUFACTURING and DOCK PROPERTY in the city, having track connections with all the railroads entering the city. Also a great variety of business and residence property on and adjacent to BLUE ISLAND-AV., TWELFTH, and TWENTY-SECOND-STS. All on easy terms to parties desiring to improve.

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For Sale or Rent,

The WASHINGTONIAN HOME property, 104x132 feet, corner Madison-st. and South Western-av., Douglas Park, with the building on it.

Proposals are invited until April 25, for the purchase of this Home property, on terms—third cash, balance 1 and 2 years, interest 8 per cent, or for leasing the same for a term of years, subject to reappraisement each 5 years.

Proposals are also invited for the sale to the Home of five or more acres of land, with or without the present building.

By order of the Board of Directors.
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COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—FRUIT FARM OF 10 ACRES; GOOD brick dwelling; near Bonfield depot; 45 minutes from Chicago; will be sold cheap; also farm of 116 acres and a half; 80 acres, well improved. WHITE, FIFE & RUSSELL, 115 Dearborn-st, Room 3.

FOR SALE—A GREAT BARGAIN—80 ACRES, or desirable land in Wayne County, Ills., near Fairfield; 5 acres timber; only $10 per acre. J. K. PINNEY, 61 South Desplaines-st.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE MILL PROPERTY AT Arlington, Ills.; rent, at $1,200 per year, now rented; price, $7,000. Easy terms. Apply at 120 Madison-st, room 6, or E. WELTZ, 45 Rumbell-court.

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS, THE DESIRABLE property known as the Bonfield Farm, adjoining property to DWIGHT DEMING, South Bend, Ind.

FOR SALE—A CHOICE FARM, WITHIN 40 miles of Chicago, of 160 acres, more or less, as purchaser may desire. Good buildings, fruit, timber, and water of best quality. H. WHIPPLE, 79 Canal-st, Room 8.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, FINE FARM OF 160 acres near large railroad town in Central Iowa, with small house and barn; will exchange part or all for city property. BALDWIN DAVIS, 36 South Halsted-st.

FOR SALE—FRUIT FARM OF 10 ACRES, ONE mile from St. Joseph, Mich.; $3,000; or will sell 80 acres adjoining property. F. J. ADAMS & CO., 167 West Madison-st.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FOR CITY property, an improved farm of 80 acres, 60 miles from Chicago; terms easy. For particulars apply at 233 State-st., Chicago.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL FINELY IMPROVED farms in the immediate vicinity of Chicago; is desirable in this section for those than to own the ground. Inquire of owner, 242 Twenty-first street. Also, 80 Washington-st., room 4, for sale or rent, for all cash only $2,500, or for cash and time pay ments $3,000. Also, 5 lots on Lake Park, corner of 18th and Prairie-av., for sale cheap, or will exchange for perfect order, water, stable, and must be sold this week sure. BOWEN, KING & CO., 15 Centre-av.

FOR SALE—BY HENRY P. GEORGE, REAL Estate Broker, 120 Dearborn-st.

Fine, 2-story and basement house, Sixteenth-st., near Prairie-av., $6,000.

2-story and basement, Wabash-av., near Thirtieth-st., on time, $11,000.

Lot on Wabash-av., near Thirty-first-st., with let, partly time $5,000.

4 story fronts, 44 Warren-av., $6,000.

Cottage and lot, Twenty-first-st., near Lake, $3,000.

99 feet, Michigan-av., corner Thirty-second st.

100 feet, Wabash-av., corner 31st st.

50 feet, Wabash-av., near Twenty-fifth-st.

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Lots, Baldwin-av., near suburb-st.

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Cheap city lots from $150 to $1,000 each.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES ON MICHIGAN-AV., Wabash, Prairie and Indiana-avs. P. A. BRAGG & CO., 69 East Harrison-st.

FOR SALE—318 MICHIGAN-AV.; BRICK house, all modern improvements, good barn; lot 22x170 feet; $13,000. P. A. BRAGG & CO., 69 East Harrison-st.

FOR SALE—50x132½ FEET, EAST FRONT, ON Wabash-av., between Thirty-first and Thirty-second-sts. P. A. BRAGG & CO., 69 East Harrison-st.

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FOR SALE—STORE NO. 21 RIVER ST., 50 FEET on Rhodes-av., near Thirty-third st.

125 feet on Thirty-first st.

25 feet on Monroe-st., near Loomis-st.

25 feet on Jackson-st., near Ashland-av.

Property for sale in all the best locations in the city. W. R. LOOMIS & CO., 237 State-st.

FOR SALE—BY HARTMANN & QUINN, ROOM 10, 37 Madison-st., a number of lots in the city every evening. Houses and lots on South Park-av., Wabash-av., State-st., Arnold-pl., Wentworth-av., Wentworth-av., Burnside-st., and Charles-place. Houses and lots on North Clark st., Wells-st., Sedgwick-st., Lincoln-st., Larrabee-st., Dearborn-st., Seminary-st. and Southwest. Houses and lots on Monroe-st., Bissell-st., Fulton-st., Lake-st., Taylor-st., Maxwell-st., Dickson and Lake-sts., ranging from $1,800 to $7,000. Cheap residence lots, in the vicinity of Lake Park and Douglas Park, and other parts of the city. Farms and lots in all parts of the city. Also, 2 and 3 story residences in Evanston, Englewood, Hinsdale, and other suburban towns, some of which were purchased in Illinois, Wisconsin, and Iowa, cheap. A good deal of our property can be exchanged for other property. Several houses that we have $250,000 which we can loan out on good city real estate on 5 years' time, at 7 and 10 per cent interest. Commercial paper discounted.

FOR SALE—BY KEELER, PLATT & JUDSON, West Madison-st, real estate and loan agents, a one-story and basement brick cottage, corner of Lessing and West Washington-st, nice and desirable; cheap.

FOR SALE—A 5-ROOMED HOUSE AND LOT, 16 feet deep, with frontage of 25 ft extending to an alley of 20 feet, price $1,800, 3 years to pay. Inquire of owner, 242 Twenty-first.

FOR SALE—162 PRAIRIE-AV., NEAR TWENTY-fifth-st, a good two story house, 12 rooms, bath, cistern, hot and cold water, closets, &c., lot 24x124 feet. Inquire on premises, or of BROWNELL & DAVIS, 28 South Water-st.

FOR SALE—OR RENT, A BLACKSMITH SHOP and dwelling house, on lot between Robey and Hoyne. Can be used for a store at small expense. Apply at 79 South Peoria-st.

FOR SALE — WAUKEGAN — A PLEASANT homestead on Lake-st, overlooking the lake, and commanding a superb harbor view; consisting of house, 9 rooms; necessary outhouses, well cistern, 2 acres of ground, apples, cherries, pears, and evergreens in bearing; $6,500. Inquire of J. W. STEWART, 16 Canal-st.

FOR SALE—A TWO-STORY HOUSE OF NINE rooms, with 50 feet on the Sheridan-road, between Madison and Monroe-sts., east front. Terms easy. Inquire of owner, on premises.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE AS first payment on nice house and lot, 5-story frame house, 46 Clinton-st.; favorable ground lease; will sell on easy terms. 58 South Clinton-st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP LOTS, ON MONTHLY payments, near southwestern city limits, by C. H. WORCESTER & CO., 180 Monroe-st.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE BETWEEN TWELFTH and Fourteenth-sts., on Third-av. Apply at 332 Third-av.

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FOR SALE—$30 EACH, $250—RESIDENCE lots, cash and monthly payments. Parties without interest.

The land is beautifully situated on Taylor, and other streets inside the city, and is several feet higher than any east of it. In a few years each lot will be worth ten times what it is now. Title perfect. Information afforded to any or all means. JAS. H. GILBERT, 125 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—LOTS ON DOUGLAS PARK Boulevard, each 175 feet deep, $700 each; 25 cash; 25 every 6 months. The boulevard is to be finished in a few years, and every body concedes that in a few years the boulevard will be lined with stylish residences. Here is a chance for a safe and profitable investment. JAS. H. GILBERT, 125 West Washington-st.

FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES AND LOTS ON AL-ley, with basements, suitable for small workshops. Possession immediately. Apply at 79 Fourth-av.

FOR SALE—EXCHANGE, OR TO RENT, AT May wood, a residence with ten rooms and all modern improvements. Can have possession May 1. Inquire of owner, 374 Wabash-av.

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TO RENT—A TWO-STORY HOUSE, 7 ROOMS, on Maxwell-st, between Wood and Honore-sts; in good order, and possession given July 1; large yard; summer kitchen; will sell furniture and carpets if desired; rent $60 per month. Address M 8, Tribune office.

TO RENT—HALSTED-ST., NEAR BELDEN-AV., a new 2-story and ba-ement brick house, 9 rooms, bath room, etc. West White-st., just north of Chicago-av., near Wells-st., new 2-story and ba-ement dwelling. Would rent floors separately. CHAPMAN & HARPER, 76 East Washington-st.

TO RENT—TWO STORY AND BASEMENT brick house, 27 West Madison-st, near Sangamon, for business purposes, by THOMAS H. RICKETTS, 120 West Madison-st.

TO RENT—NO. 80 WALNUT-ST., NEAR UNION Park, a 2-story and basement brick house, with 10 rooms and bath-room, (with part of furniture) on Monday, April 22. Apply on the premises.

TO RENT—HOUSE OF SEVEN ROOMS, WITH stable or part of furniture for sale cheap. Everything complete for housekeeping. Apply at 720 Madison, up-stairs, morning only.

TO RENT—HOUSE—BASEMENT, FIRST AND third floors of a first class 2 story and basement brick house, with bath room, gas, and all modern conveniences, on Monroe-st., near Twenty-second-st. Party who would furnish a family of three gentlemen with board and lodging preferred. Address B C, Tribune office.

TO RENT—COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE West of Union Park, with nice garden, 9 rooms, gas and water. Inquire at 67 Fulton-st.

TO RENT—2-STORY HOUSE—NO. 462 ARCHER-AV., corner Lime-st, with store, bar and 5 rooms overhead, closets, pantries, etc.; also, 2-story and basement house, 8 rooms, in all the out-buildings. C. C. THAYER & CO., 130 Michigan-av.

TO RENT—ON WABASH-AV.—FINE RESI-dence of 12 rooms; houses and tenements on Warren-av., Throop-st., Ogden-av., Centre-av., Lincoln and Jefferson, and other streets; cottage of 5 rooms in good repair, for city limits; also, 2 rooms in the West Madison-st. depot. CHAS. MAYER.

TO RENT—ONE HALF OF STORE ON STATE-st., near Van Buren, suitable for plumber, gas fitter, etc.; or would fit up good location for a coal office, etc.; or would fit up good location for a coal office, etc. Inquire at 1 Tribune building, or of BRAGG & CO., 46 East Harrison-st.

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TO RENT—STORE 24x100 FEET, AT 135 WEST Randolph-st., from May 1. Inquire at 191 East Lake-st. Rent $40 to 1765. 25x30, at 151 East Lake-st.

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TO RENT—PLEASANT FRONT ROOMS SUIT-able for offices; also furnished and unfurnished rooms, suitable for sleeping rooms. Address 271 West Randolph-st.

TO RENT—THE LARGEST AND BEST BANK-ing rooms in the city, two fronts, with vaults and other offices, stores and dwellings. Apply to WM. HANSBROUGH, Room 13, 131 Lasalle-st.

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CHANCES.

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—BUSINESS, 200 THIRTY ...chance for the one who can ...

—SALE ON THE SOUTH ...second at 2 years' ...ent. M. DAY, Real ...ffice.

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Did the "Figaro" Call a Theatrical Manager a Curmudgeon?

Scenes in Court—"Le Petit Jules" on the Bench—Testimony of M. Pouffe, M. Tarride, and Mlle. Cabriole.

The matter lies in a nutshell: Did or did not the *Figaro* newspaper call the manager of the Theatre des Folies Gaulloises a curmudgeon, and, if so, how far does that application constitute a libel? The *Figaro* does not deny the libel, but it begs to observe two things: firstly, that the words complained of were not inserted by the usual editor, but by M. Timoleon Tartine, of imbecile shape and size, who, he is free to confess, acting for a day in his stead; secondly, that M. Tartine inserted them not in malice prepense, but writing under the inspiration of Mlle. Cabriole, of the above-named theatre, who had appealed to those sentiments of gallantry which find a home in the bosom of every Frenchman; thirdly, that a friendly apology will be forthcoming if the manager will bide content with a simple retraction.

But M. Pouffe, the manager, will not bide content. Somehow the receipts of his theatre have not been what they should be, and he has had trouble, too, with his "stars," one of whom has embarked for Rio Janeiro and the other for St. Petersburg. Then, again, M. Pouffe had been expecting a new piece from the great pen of M. Folichon, but it has been disappointed, so, on the whole, thinks he had better do battle with the *Figaro*. This will be as good an advertisement as any other. He will have the opportunity of talking about himself to the public, exposing the bitters of his condition, the exigencies of authors, the capriciousness of actresses, the prices he lately paid for volumes and scenery, and the tribulations incurred by reason of spectators who rebel at a charge of fivepence for the kee- of their parasolas,—all of which details will add a new lustre to his play-bill. Accordingly, a notice of action has been filed, counsel retained on both sides, and a day appointed for the hearing. Nevertheless as this day approaches, M. Pouffe becomes vaguely conscious of an element of disquiet that has been introduced into his existence. Warring with French paper offers a good deal of the excitement that attends wasp-hunting, with much of its sport. M. Pouffe had not expected this; he now finds it out. When writers his favorite cafe, he remarks that customers are moved to furtive mirth, think the waiters as he crosses the marble floor is funny of him, saying, "Que faut-il pour n'avoir pas l'air bete." The impress of merriment on his countenance. This comes to the assertion which the *Figaro* has daily about him. M. Pouffe, which are like so many thrusts well driven home. He prick him from all sides, these fellows. They are comments on his personal appearance, mimicries of his voice, anecdotes of his supposed stinginess, and revelations about his private life. Behind scenes is one of the actresses of his own theatre flying at until the tears run down their cheeks. This is not agreeable. Dark designs begin to flit across the mind of M. Pouffe, who meditates despatching his second to M. Tartine, the principal offender, to ask for satisfaction. But then M. Tartine answer that he has been so often called upon to be able to decline a duel on insufficient grounds without dishonor, and that, besides, assuring M. Pouffe's hats to be of the most inferior shape ever seen, he is exceeding the just limits of dramatic criticism. On the other hand, if accepted, what good could come of a duel with M. Pouffe? A manager is not like a journalist, who can edit his paper in the cell of prison. If M. Pouffe were incarcerated for fighting M. Tartine, there would be no acting his theatre in the meantime, and, if he were run through the body, he could not stir it still less. So he decides upon trying reconciliation, and accredits a mutual friend as envoy to feel the ground. But the latter, whose bristles are all up, declines having any terms whatever with the mutual friend; whereupon M. Pouffe declares that rather than have agreed to a reconciliation he would have taken the very last of the *Figaro* makes sport, wrapped up in a number of the *Figaro* itself, "which, by," adds he, with scathing irony, "would have been enough for any man." Nothing could exceed the mutual scorn of the combatants as they rush into the lists on the 17th day, like doughty champions, as they be.

The court is crowded. Actresses by the dozen are there; all come to hear their comrade Mlle. Cabriole, give her evidence; and the "cavalier servante" of these actresses are there; and journalists to hear M. Tarride deliver himself, and other journalists to report it; and young, bright barristers in their cloth gowns, and mortar-board set jauntily on the backs of their heads, had congregated under the portico to be actresses slight, and have been dancing attendance upon them ever since, pocketing them good places, and intending to their words; and the irrepressible party of British tourists, who wonder what is going to be tried, and consult the Guide-book on it; and a Republican Guardsman, fierce accordingly, who cries "Chut!" when the rustling of actresses, bristling once, causes a loud and general hubbub, and who is the decorous echoes of the palace. There is no need to describe the scene that follows on the opening of the court—the scramble for places, the crowded walls of down-trodden heels, and the venemence of ladies left outside who laugh to scorn the notion that having no more room is a sufficient reason for not letting anybody else in. All these are reminiscences best dismissed. Let us hit the curtain again at the point where, justice room being filled to suffocation, M. Mlle. Tribouletis, Mirabelle, Beaussine, and some others advantageously placed in the rows, the usher announces "the court," to wit; three Judges, appointed by the present Republic, and all young, who, as their seats, leaning vaguely as if they feared they were older, and trying to atone for this failing by a surplusage of rigidity, right of them all. Tribouletis is unable to restrain an ejaculation. Rapidly nudging his neighbor, Mlle. Beaussine, she exclaims: "Ma dame, Louise, je le reconnais tt pas cela! Mille-on—le petit Jules qui est quelque chose au etait on M. Clodoche a mon ballet-mime?" But here she breaks off short, for the eyes of the usher are fixed upon her in two policemen's helmets, and the situation thrills over her that this is a court of law, and that the petit Jules might put her off for contempt of him to three months' captivity with calm equanimity, her dismay she has recourse to her salts. Meanwhile the case is called, and the rival counsel deliver, each in their turn, an elaborate speech, which it is not our intention to chronicle.

Then comes M. Pouffe, the plaintiff, and, the name is shouted, the audience wake to vivid interest. Mlle. Tribouletis, who is discovered that not only is one of the ...ges an acquaintance of hers, but also ...Public Prosecutor,—young, too, and a ...relative,—takes her eyes off this functionary, who has been endeavoring to look ...remely unconscious under the fire of her ...ence, and scans the manager over the ...ge of eyeglass in gold, which she has bravely displayed, and which prevents her from seeing very clearly. In the background of the court is a scuffling up ...-hole, and M. Pouffe, being duly sworn, ...ers: "That he is manager; that he has no grudge against anybody, but that ...e are certain adjectives which, though ...ve towards some people, are damag... to others. For instance, one says of ...ed Judge' [marks of assent from the ...ch], 'a witty journalist' [the reporters ...t modest], 'a graceful actress' [Mlle. ...oulaire smiling]; 'cockers the copyholder' [a ...an enterprising manager.' Well, ...ould be no great slander to write of an ...tress that she was unlearned, or of a Judge ...s heavy-handed, but, supposing ...s were to call Mlle. Cabriole a harridan ...s actress handy-legged, there would be ...sting. Mlle. Tribouletis looks pro...dingly impressed, but so, then, with a ...anager; if you brand him as a curmudgeon you strike at the very ...ot of his reputation. Now, as to the case ...point, what was it? The *Figaro* had ac...ded him of stinginess for giving inadequate ...y to Mlle. Cabriole. He gave the lady ...d francs a year; it was not much, he knew, ...t the matter was Mlle. Cabriole's talent ...ch. One day she had come to him in ...arriage with two horses, and had asked to ...e admitted to his theatre on any terms, be...ever it might be. She wanted to be able to put ...artiste dramatique on her cards. An engagement was that she was to be free all her ...n dresses and pay him, the manager, 1,000 ...ancs a year. In future, she was to have ...e privilege of singing one of four lines ...d of speaking six in all the burlesques, ...d of taking a prominent part in the breakdowns. That arrangement lasted a year, by ...e end of which time Mlle. Cabriole's dis...onds having acquired her a certain popularity, she was formally engaged at her present ...alary. This was all he had to say, ...ut he begged to add that, if the ...anges in the refreshment-room were unsatisfactory, that was not his fault; five-...ce, too, was not excessive as the charge ...s footstool for ladies in the boxes; he ...ished, moreover, that the public would ...me earlier into their places and not interrupt the acts, which made the spectators in ...e stalls crusty and chary of applause. ...en there was the scenery, which had been ...ered at because the full-moon in the river ...d didn't work well—he had bought it in ...ance, this full-moon, where they made ...is thing, and he defied any other manager to show a better moon; or, for that ...atter, a choicer set of supernumeraries, ...ough if the papers took to reckoning the ...mber of those who squinted, and the ...mbers who sang out of tune, there would ...e an end to all managership. He thanked the Court for its attention." M. Pouffe's evidence gives rise to a long buzz of whisperings and titters in the audience, the titters being from the ladies, who are greatly delighted at the revelations concerning Mlle. Cabriole. There is nothing like artistic good feeling... But silence is restored, and the editor of the *Figaro* appears, and simply says that he knows nothing of the libel, having been absent when it was printed; then comes the publisher, and then M. Timoleon Tartine, who has got himself up carefully with lemon-colored gloves, a camellia in his button-hole, and wax to his mustache. He produces a sensation on the fetes-benches, and is not unconscious of it, "posing" collectedly as every Frenchman would do under the circumstances, and delivering his evidence with a high-bred composure very fascinating to witness. If he told the truth, and nothing but the truth, as requested, he would repent bye Mlle. Cabriole had trashed into his office and almost forced the pen into his hand to indite the libel; but, as in duty bound, he takes all the blame on his own shoulders, asserts that he penned the words with deep conviction, and launches into considerations on the stimulus afforded to immorality by the under-payment of actresses, in a style that makes Mlle. Tiboutetis and Mlle. Beaussine decidedly demure, and brings an astonished expression to the countenances of the three Judges and of the Public Prosecutor, who eye him suspiciously, as if they apprehended seeing him break into a smile. But he breaks into nothing but a courteous peroration on the well-known rectitude of the magistracy, protectors of free speech and of public morals, and returns to his seat. Maitre Tarride created a most beneficial impression on everybody. There is nothing remains but to call Mlle. Cabriole, and one might certainly bear a coat by as that lady makes her magnificent entry, attired in a violet velvet gown looped up over an underskirt of violet satin, and with a bonnet that brings the eyes of Mlle. Tribouletis and friends immovably and covetously to the front. There is no witness-box in French Courts; the witnesses stand in an open space fronting the Judges' dais, and well-exposed to the public view, which Mlle. Cabriole does not seem to object to. "Take off your gloves, please," whispers the usher. "What for?" asks Mlle. Cabriole, who has also recognized "le petit Jules" on the bench, and has commenced operations by nodding affably to him, after which, beating down her skirts, she has taken a circular view of the audience. The usher explains, and two ...ir brushes are employed by Mlle. Cabriole in drawing off the smallest of straw-colored gloves and revealing a hand covered with a corruscating mass of rings that made it ...ok like the sun as if it were on fire. "Now ...ift up your hand," says the usher, and Mlle. Cabriole having lifted up her hand a foot high, and sworn, "le petit Jules," to her horror, emits the stern question, "Your name and age? "Twenty-two," she falters. "And your address?" "Why, why!" cries she, amazed, "you know very well I've not moved since yesterday." (Sensation in Court; the learned petit Jules makes use of his handkerchief to conceal his confusion.) "Answer becomingly, miss," blesses the usher, with eyes like hot coals. "I'm sure I'm becoming enough for anybody," retorts she, with flushing fire. "What is your income?" bursts out "le petit Jules" frantically. "Eight hundred francs," says she, still flushed and impetuous; but, at this, audience and bench, with eyes fixed on her rings, her velvet gown, her bonnet and her bracelets, laugh so loudly that she, at first stands speechless, then beginning to understand, bites her lips, but at last joins in frankly with the rest, exclaiming: "Vous savez bien, mon petit lively shrug: "Vous savez; mais je fais comme le Gouvernement. Je publice mon budget comme je l'entends."

Half an hour later the Court pronounces a judgment in which it is declared that it is undoubtedly a libel to call a manager a curmudgeon for not giving such ladies as Mlle. Cabriole more than 800 francs; but the Court thanks to M. Tartine's speech, is kind enough with a fine of 50 francs and twice that sum in damages. As for Mlle. Cabriole, as she leaves the Court she is accosted by M. Pouffe, who says, "You know you have increased in value since this trial. You shall have 1,000 francs for the future." "A thousand francs!" cries Mlle. Cabriole, contemptuously. "You are too late; Marticot, your rival, has already offered me 3,000, and other lines of song per burlesque." "Ah, he has, has he?" cries M. Pouffe. "Then I'll give you 3,000, and you shall have fifty lines."—*Tall Mall Gazette.*

CITY AFFAIRS IN BRIEF.

About a Little Girl.

Judge Tree, when not otherwise occupied, is giving his attention to questions concerning the custody of a little girl, 2 years of age, named Viola Ernestine Frank. She has been for some time in the care of one of his Bailiffs—George Cooper, and, although considerable opposition has been made by her friends to her being so placed, the Judge has decided that she shall remain where she is for the present. Edward J. Mack, the little girl's father, resides in Milwaukee. He alleges that his daughter was brought thence to Chicago unlawfully by her mother on the 11th instant. The wife claims that the husband had previously agreed to a separation, allowing her to keep the child if she would give proper bonds for its maintenance and education. The husband, on the contrary, states that he did not so promise if the wife left him by divorce, decree, or stole the child from her home. The wife avers that she is both able and willing to support and educate her daughter. The legal points of the case were argued at length. Judge Tree finally decided that the husband was the legal guardian until his guardianship could be proved. At the request of Mrs. Franks' counsel a further hearing was postponed until Monday.

Games and Pastimes.

The first quoiting match of the season will take place on Monday next, at T. F. Cook's quoit ground, No. 121 West Madison street, between the West Side champion and the champion of the Stock Yards. A medal will be presented to the winner. Pitching to commence at 2 p. m.

—An anonymous correspondent is responsible for the statement that "nine strange animules," known as the Chain Gang Base Ball Club, can be seen prowling around the ball grounds corner of Sampson street and Ashland avenue.

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Meteorological.

Meteorological observations, as recorded by J. G. Langguth, Optician, 124 State street, corner of Madison, and U. S. Observer at the Smithsonian Institute. The small letters are the initials for gentle; high; veering; rain; snow; moist atmosphere; dry.

CHICAGO, April 20.

Time.	Ther.	Bar.	Wind.	Rain.
Night preceding	25° F	28.84	S. W.	
7:00 a. m.	36	28.84	S. W.	
2:00 p. m.	46	28.76	S. W.	
7:00 p. m.	35	28.84	S. W.	To 2 p. m.

Inches.

Everything!

An important meeting of the Board of Governors of the Woman's Hospital of the State of Illinois, will be held at No. 171 Calumet avenue, on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

—The Committee on Nominations will present their final report to a meeting of the members of the Union Catholic Library Association, at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

—General E. L. Townsend, of the Brooklyn (N. Y.) *Daily Union*, met with an accident yesterday afternoon, at the depot of the North-western Railroad. His left foot was severely crushed, which will deprive him of the use of it for some length of time.

—An essay on Elizabeth Barrett Browning, the woman and poet, will be read before the "Home Philomathean Club," at 169 West Jackson street, by Miss C. J. Nelson, on Thursday evening next, accompanied by vocal and instrumental music. The friends of the "Home" are cordially invited.

—The annual meeting of the Cook County Woman Suffrage Association, will be held in the North Side Opera House on Thursday, April 25, and Dr. Peoli, Mrs. Dr. Barnes, Mrs. C. V. Waite, and many other interesting speakers are official party gramme. The formation of a new will be discussed. All are invited.

—The Committee of Free Ladies of Chicago, for their contribution to the payment of the French war debt of ——, say evening of this week, at called hall, No. 42 and 44 State street, in Martine's Hall, No. 49 and 51 Washington street. A fine tweed Madison, ...ffled by a well-known French ...ntleman, and an occasion of rare enjoyment is confidently anticipated.

—The annual examination of the students of the Chicago Theological Seminary (Union Park) occurs on Tuesday of next week, at 2 o'clock p. m., and on Wednesday from 9 a. m. to 12 m. p. m. Addresses before the Library Societies will be given by Rev. George Lunt, Professor of Yale University, on Monday evening, at the First Congregational Church. The addresses of the graduating classes will be given Thursday evening, ...ing the Union Park Church. The singing will be by the fine choir of the Second Presbyterian Church.

—The many friends of W. H. Eddy will be pained to learn that he has met with a second great misfortune, by the blowing down of his new building, which was nearly completed. His re...cent loss by the great fire of October last was bad enough, but the last one is, at this time, still harder, for the reason that, in the building of it, he has become involved in new liabilities which, ...ith almost any other man, would be his financial ruin. Although much depressed in mind over this fresh calamity, he declares his purpose to pay one hundred cents on the dollar at no distant day.

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Joliet & Dwight Accommodation	4:10 p m
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Sunday Morning, April 21, 1872.

A CINCINNATI TRIUMPH.

The President's order concerning Civil Service Reform was promulgated with an evident intent to add to the *eclat* of the New York meeting. It confesses, by very plain implication, that the office-holders have been improperly employed and taxed to promote his re-election, otherwise it would be unnecessary now to forbid that political assessments should be made in future, or to declare that "political activity" will no longer determine their tenure of office. Slighter offences than "political activity" have heretofore determined the tenure of office of some of our best officers. Minister Motley was recalled from England, not for any fault whatever of his own, but because Charles Sumner was his friend, and Sumner opposed the annexation of San Domingo. Mr. Grinnell was removed from the Custom House at New York because he was not politically active in promoting Grant's re-election, and because Mr. Greeley was his friend, to make room for Murphy, who was exceedingly active, politically, for Grant. J. D. Cox was removed from the Cabinet for no other reason than that he undertook to forbid "political assessments" from being made on his subordinates, to promote the ultimate prospects of Grant, and because he sought to adopt just such rules for promoting honesty and efficiency as are now promulgated by Grant himself. Quincy D. Whitman was removed from the office of Assessor of Internal Revenue in Illinois, since the adoption of Civil Service Reform, at the instance of Mr. Snapp, without any charges against his faithfulness as an officer. Whence come these somersaults in the President's policy on Civil Service Reform? They are the first fruits of the Cincinnati Convention,—the lame and tardy confession that the reforms which that Convention was called to promote were sound and need to be adopted. Senator Wilson also announces, in his New York speech, that Congress will pass a General Amnesty law in a few weeks. A year ago, such advances would have been sufficient for their purpose. But to-day a far more effective Civil Service measure is demanded than any the President has yet conceived of. We demand one which will forever prevent the attempt on the President's own part to use the power of appointment and removal as a means to punish political opinions of any kind, or to coerce others into the advocacy of the President's re-election. The duty of an officer in any grade of the Civil Service must be understood to be fulfilled when he obeys the laws and orders of his superior officers made within the line of duty in enforcing those laws. He should be held under no obligations whatever to agree with the President, or with any Congressman, in political opinion or policy, or to serve them in working for their own re-election.

SCIENCE AND WORSHIP.

A correspondent, whose letter we publish, protests, on behalf of Science, against the views we expressed in an article entitled "Darwinism and Christianity." He objects to the limitations we laid down as to the influence Science may reasonably claim over religious ideas. We said, among other things:

> Our theological teachers make as great a mistake when they deny that there is an inherent conflict between Science and Religion, as our scientific teachers make when they predict that all faiths which do not harmonize with Science must disappear. It may well be doubted whether any strictly religious faith ever was, or ought to be, harmonize with any strictly scientific deduction.

Our correspondent claims that all *true* Religion harmonizes with Science. We assert that no Religion, whether true or false, harmonizes, or ought to harmonize, with Science in either its aims, its evidences, its processes, or its conclusions. If it did it would be itself a Science,—i. e., something familiarly known, and not a Religion,—i. e., something reverently worshipped, or acknowledged to be infinite, and, therefore, beyond human ken.

The primal religious ideas are Special Creation, Special Providence, Special Inspiration, Prophecy, Prayer, Miracles, the existence of moral evil, Divine punishment and forgiveness, the duty of holiness and benevolence, and an Immortal Life, all presided over by an omnipresent, spiritual, or non-material God. These primary ideas, under different names, underlie Christianity everywhere, Mohammedanism, Brahminism, and, with some omissions, all other forms of religion.

The doctrine of Special Creation implies that, though the world is now operated according to natural laws, which are the classified conclusions of Science, such as gravitation, cohesion, radiation, chemical affinity, and the other modes of organic and inorganic physical action, there was a time when some different and special and direct fiat or power of God was exerted, of which Science has no record or trace, and which, therefore, on the basis of its own record, it ignores or denies.

Special Providence implies that, though the ordinary course of human action is left to the unaided human faculties, operated upon by their surroundings, yet in numerous but special instances these are interfered with or specially directed by an immediate fiat of God, of which, in the nature of things, there can be no scientific evidence.

Inspiration implies that such facts as are beyond the domain of scientific analysis or inquiry,—i. e., which cannot be proved by observation through the senses,—such as whether there is a God, or a spiritual nature in man, or a future state, or forgiveness for sin, have been revealed in ways which defy Science, inasmuch as the attestation of the revelation was generally some suspension of the natural laws with which Science has solely to do. As there can be no scientific evidence of inspiration, Science ignores or denies it.

Prophecy implies that, though the ordinary human faculties can merely infer the future from the past with great dimness and uncertainty, a spiritual insight has been conferred upon certain men which shall penetrate the future in manner wholly unnatural and unscientific, and which, therefore, Science ignores or denies.

Prayer implies that, though ordinarily the world will be operated by the natural laws which Science recognizes, yet there is a law, or Special Providence, over all laws, to the effect that God initiates Divine and human action in compliance with the prayer of faith. While thousands of scientific men believe, in some degree, in this theory, the scientific mind more naturally conceives of it as the operation of another law than as a Special Providence. Still, the aggregate influence of Science is to occupy the mind with those phases of the universe which are operated by evident laws, and thereby to cause it to ignore prayer as an effective agent, while the aggregate influence of Religion is to occupy the mind with a class of instances which illustrate the opposite view, and so inspire prayer.

Miracles all consist in some suspension or reversal of those laws of nature which the scientific habit of mind regards as irreversible.

Divine punishment implies moral powers, not only in ourselves, but in the Creator, while Science recognizes only an inevitable chain of cause and effect. If the effect is painful, it is not intentionally a punishment, but merely a consequence. As forgiveness would be a direct break in this chain of cause and effect, Science makes no place for it, and denies it.

As to the obligations of holiness and benevolence, Science,—i. e., observation of the natural,—teaches that they have rarely, if ever, been practised; that there is very great doubt whether any perfect standard of ascertaining what is holy exists; that those who have attempted it have usually been crucified, or hanged, or otherwise persecuted; that any person whose standard of life is widely different from that of those around him becomes their accuser, and thereby brings on himself their enmity. The prevalent law of Nature is self-love, and the scientific conclusion would be, that he who took the best care of himself would be happiest and most virtuous. The study of Social Science makes a virtue of economy, not of benevolence.

As to the immortality of the soul, Science ignores it. Observation teaches only that the body dissolves into dust. The soul it cannot trace, and, indeed, its proper language would contain no such word. These conclusions follow from any proper definition of Science, meaning thereby Physical Science, or the classified arrangement of such facts as the modern observer may submit to the test of observation and experience.

Does it follow, then, that, because none of these religious ideas can be submitted to the test of modern physical observation, therefore this belief in them will disappear? Will men cease to believe that the work of creation or evolution had a Divinely-impressed beginning because we cannot now see it begin? Will they cease to believe in inspiration because it is not the subject of modern physical proof? Will they disbelieve in God because the chemist, in his analysis of matter, does not find its all-pervading soul? Will they deny all morals because moral standards rest on what science would call original assumptions, or what moralists would call religious inspiration? Will they reject immortality because a *post-mortem* examination of the body does not find it?

There is a mode of investigation conceivable concerning religious ideas which would be scientific. It would consist in classifying religious ideas in connection with their consequences, and inferring their truth or falsehood from the benefits or injury they had caused. But this would develop a "Science of Religion," somewhat in the direction in which Professor Max Muller is now laboring. But it would not be Religion itself. Nor would its conclusions, because scientific, be any more certain than the present religious ideas, which are assumptions or intuitions. Science has the exclusive charge of the art of medicine, or healing disease, and yet not a single principle of medicine is established, and even the causes of the most important diseases, such as small-pox, scrofula, contagious fevers, cancers, hydrophobia, cholera, etc., are only faintly conjectured or wholly unknown. So political economy is the chief of the Sciences, yet one upon which no two doctrinaires wholly agree. Religion is not scientific, but intuitive, instinctive, or inspired. From its very nature it deals with mysteries whose existence we know, but cannot solve. Worship can only be addressed to mystery. While Science may remove further back the supposed date, or may expand the imagined processes of creation, it can neither explain the ultimate cause of anything, frame a moral law, inspire the heart with a single affection, inculcate any doctrine of love, condemn any subtlety of hatred, nor remove the veil from Life, Death, and Immortality. The first assumption of Religion, that man has a spiritual nature, duties, and destiny, gives life, inspiration, conscience, reverence, modesty, and manhood to the human character. No one can be great or complete without cultivating these spiritual inspirations and intuitions. They have been the source of what is noblest in human achievement, for even Science, discovery, and invention owe their triumphs largely to religious impulse. Printing was invented in the effort to multiply copies of the Bible. America was discovered and colonized in the attempt to carry the Cross into India. Chivalry was born of the Crusade to redeem the Holy Sepulchre from the infidel. Schools, common and private, and nearly all colleges have been zealously endowed and taught by those whose chief aim has been to save the souls of youth from religious error. The great Universities of Paris, London, Oxford, Cambridge, Harvard, and Yale were founded and endowed by Religion. Ancient learning was preserved to us in the cloisters of the monks, and modern learning is encouraged to prevent monkery. Thus do men build more wisely than they know.

WOMEN AND THE CRIMINAL LAW.

The question whether women, among their other rights, have the right to be hanged for murder, ought to engage the attention of Miss Anthony and Miss Dickinson. The country has hardly recovered from the consternation of the trial of Laura Fair for the murder of the man Crittenden, who had the temerity to return to his own wife after having lived with Mrs. Fair; yet we have now on trial, in different parts of the country, a long catalogue of women charged with the deliberate taking of human life. Mrs. Wharton has just been acquitted of the poisoning of General Ketchum, who, it was claimed, was pressing her for a debt of several thousands of dollars due to him; but she is soon to be tried for the unsuccessful attempt to kill another visitor, a Mr. Van Ness, by poison.

In Connecticut, Mrs. Lydia Sherman is now on trial for the murder of her husband by poison, administered to him when sick. She is also accused of having murdered one previous husband, and several children of her last husband by a former wife.

In Brooklyn, New York, Mrs. Fanny Hyde is on trial for the murder of her employer, Watson, by shooting him. It seems that she was employed by Watson in his neck-tie factory, and grew up to womanhood while there; that she was handsome; and that, finally, she was overcome by him, and held improper relations with him a long time. She subsequently married Hyde, and obtained from Watson a pledge that he would no longer pursue her, but let her live respectably with her husband; that, after awhile, Watson renewed his demands, and, under threats of disgraceful exposure, compelled her to submit. At last she disclosed everything to her husband, and the result was another season of escape from the brutalities of Watson. But the man again renewed his demands, until she bought a pistol, and, one day at noon, while he was vexing her with his threats, shot him, killing him instantly.

The next case is on trial in Leesburg, Virginia, in which a Mrs. Lloyd is accused of the murder, by poison, of her husband and four children. The charge is, that she first poisoned her husband two years ago, then her two boys a year ago, then a daughter, and then the youngest, a child of 2 years old. During the period of these deaths, an old lady, a relative, visited her, and died at the house, from the effects of poison, as now alleged.

There are four or five other cases in different parts of the country where women are charged with the shooting of faithless lovers, husbands, or rivals; and, upon the whole, the catalogue of female criminals is at this time quite long and interesting. In all these cases, it will be noticed, the crime is murder. Women rarely offer personal violence unless that aim at the destruction of life. Laura Fair took deliberate aim, and killed her man at the first shot. Fanny Hyde was equally successful, killing her victim by the first shot. In the case of General Ketchum, he was killed, though Mrs. Wharton has been acquitted of the act. Though Mrs. Sherman is on trial only for the murder of her husband, the same evidence exists generally in the cases of all the other persons whose deaths are laid at her door. If she poisoned them at all, she made the crime effectual by giving to each enough arsenic to prevent any chance of recovery. In the case of Mrs. Lloyd, not one of her six victims escaped. The analysis of the stomach of the child showed enough poison to kill half a dozen.

Until the trials of these women have been concluded it would be unjust to assume that they are guilty; but, nevertheless, the facts disclose the unprecedented fact of five women on trial at one time for the murder of fourteen persons,—two by the pistol and twelve by poison. It is safe to assume that the laws for the punishment of crime do have some restraining effect upon the commission of illegal acts, but it is equally certain that, to the extent that there is a failure to enforce these laws, crime is not only not repressed, but is directly encouraged. We see this in the whole history of our criminal jurisprudence. The greater the crime, as in the case of murder, the greater the difficulty of executing the penalties provided by law. But, while there may be exceptions to this almost general rule in the case of male assassins, the fact is notorious that, with the exception of Mrs. Surratt and one woman in Missouri, there has been no case of a white woman being punished for murder in the United States for twenty years. The defence in the cases of murder by women has rarely turned upon any doubt as to the commission of the crime. It has been a plea of "emotional insanity," under which the woman, to gratify her malicious hate, assassinates her victim. Laura Fair was convicted and sentenced, but has obtained a new trial, and her escape is more than probable. The result of all this is, that it has become an accepted fact that no woman committing murder is to be convicted, or, if convicted, is to be hanged therefor. It is claimed that the civilization of the age forbids the hanging of a woman; but, when woman does violence to that same civilization by committing the highest crime known,—deliberately taking the life of another person,—her lapse to barbarism ought to be visited with the same penalty which is provided for male offenders.

THE WOMAN'S TEA COMPANY.

The latest, and, we are bound to say, the most efficient, champion of woman is Miss Susan King, a cheerful and active damsel of 35, the founder (with Mme. Demorest) of the Woman's Tea Company in New York. After making a fortune by speculating in real estate around the Central Park and elsewhere, she set about to do her part towards redeeming the condition of woman. Instead of her holding conventions and talking suffrage, she rightly estimated that to woman's happiness two essentials only are required. The first is a good cup of tea, and the second is plenty of money. She formed her Tea Company, in which women only are permitted to be stockholders, officers, salesmen, or agents. We are uncertain whether the company will sell a pound of tea to a suffering, featherless male biped, or whether any masculine sailors are permitted on board the vessels which import the tea, or in the little Chinese gardens where it is raised.

The charming Miss King alone, however, could go to China and find out how to get pure tea. No corrupt pantaloon could be trusted with this delicate task. Miss King's charms are of a business-like character. She twists her native hair into a tight, hard knot high upon the crown of her head, and wears no Dolly Vardens. She had no aims of an improper character against the morals of the Chinese, and she expressed her simple faith in the immaculate reverence which even the heathen of the male persuasion would feel for her virgin loveliness by the remark, "Poh! what would anybody want with an old woman like me?"

She sailed first for Yokohama, travelled without escort all through Japan, and discovered that all that was necessary to her safety was to respect the religion of the people. Accordingly, whenever she came to a temple of Joss or the Devilnozoo, she fired off a few Chinese crackers on the steps, which conciliated the natives as effectually as two-thirds of the people of Christian countries may be conciliated by treating them to a glass of wine or whiskey, or, if they are teetotalist, by patting their babies, or riding their hobbies. Believing that the Japanese plant was not good tea, she crossed into China, where she made a pious pilgrimage to the grave of Confucius, whom she greatly reverences and admires, firing off her crackers along the route at every Joss-house. This took her far beyond the tea country, away up into the interior, and impressed the Chinese with a lively reverence for her orthodoxy. Not the slightest violence was offered to her, though, had she attempted to go as a missionary she would have contributed to the sustenance of the Chinese crows, instead of being enabled to offer the very best article of tea in the New York market at $1.50 a pound, to ladies only.

By visiting all the tea-raising districts, she learned that the Yankees have not even learned how to adulterate teas, but buy them already adulterated by the Heathen Chinee, in the great tea ports. She determined, therefore, to buy her own teas (three hundred tons) in the interior, where there is no such thing as Oolong, Souchong, black, or English breakfast tea, but just the one article, tea, which had never before been introduced into America.

On her return, the lovely Miss King stopped at Borneo, to visit the cannibals. With great difficulty she got a crew of men to row her alongside a cannibal "dug-out," containing a dozen savages. Miss King waved her handkerchief and smiled so blandly that they confided in her harmless intentions, and, when the two boats met, allowed her, to the intense wonder of her own crew, to step out of her boat into that of the gentlemen from Borneo, the chief of whom, with infinite gallantry, stood up to receive her in a costume consisting of a white rag. After a visit with the cannibals which was mutually satisfactory to both parties, the lovely Miss King returned to her ship, fully satisfied that an ugly woman or an honest man may travel anywhere among the pagans if he or she will only let alone their religion. She intimates that she had found the same course necessary in her previous dealings with the different sects of Christians. To this alone she attributes the fact that she has any back hair left whatever. If she had gone to interfering with the peculiar tenets of Presbyterians, Baptists, and Methodists, she might have been compelled to wear a chignon. On returning to New York, the American customers did not like the taste of her teas, owing to the absence of the adulterations which they had come to mistake for the true tea flavor. But the Chinamen residents in that city recognized it as the same thing they had drunk at the Central Flowery Land, and thronged her tea-drinking saloon in great numbers. She affirms that Americans will learn to like the taste of tea, as they come to find out what it is and become accustomed to it.

Hon. Wirt Dexter, E. M. Haines, Jesse O. Norton, John W. Foster, and Emerson Etheridge are very "Liberal" Republicans. Haines ran against Farnsworth for Congress, Dexter against Burchard, and Kellogg against Conkling in New York and were badly beaten; while Norton did the honors for Andy Johnson as District Attorney. As for Wirt, in politics he has always been anti-Dexter.—*Chicago Evening Journal.*

Why not add Longstreet to the list? True, this celebrated Confederate chieftain did not run against Farnsworth in the Second District of Illinois, but he ran against him and against half a million other Union soldiers in Virginia. If Longstreet were booked for the Cincinnati Convention, the *Evening Journal* and all the small-fry Administration press would break out in the largest job type to denounce the portentous fact. But, being headed toward Philadelphia, he is all right. This, by the way, is not the first time he has been headed toward Philadelphia. About the 4th of July, 1863, he joined an excursion party going that way, and was stopped at Gettysburg. We presume he will have better luck this time.

Another man is booked for Philadelphia, whose presence at Cincinnati in company with such notorious traitors as Haines, Eustace, Kellogg, Norton, and Dexter would fill the soul of the *Evening Journal* with anguish. We refer to Mr. Akerman, of Georgia, late Attorney General of the United States, whose disabilities, arising from his having held a commission in the Rebel military service, were generously removed by Congress. Mr. Akerman's services on the side of the Confederacy in the late unpleasantness were not so notable as those of Longstreet, but we presume a *Evening Journal* will admit upon reflection that they outshone those of Haines, or Eustace, or Kellogg, or Norton, or Dexter.

We are not engaged in the pitiful business of arraigning men for what they did six or seven years ago. We think that both Longstreet and Akerman are in better business now than they were then, and that they should be encouraged in well-doing. We commend them for going to any *United States* Convention that suits them. But we say that it tends to assuage the sadness of the Chicago *Evening Journal's* lament over the political degeneracy of Haines, that Longstreet has held office under Grant, and that Akerman has been counted among his constitutional advisers, without detriment to the Republic.

A New Use for a Dead Man.

It is a serious question, the best use to which you can put a man after he is dead. Ordinarily we are content to bury our dead, and allow Nature to exercise her chemical pleasure upon the remains, to dissolve the ammonia, and azote, and carbonic acid, upon which we have bestowed so much care, convey them into the chests of vegetation, and resurrect us in the shape of roses or cabbages, according to the quality of our chemicals. This is the prevailing fashion of utilizing dead men, and a very sensible one withal, as it makes a man good for something after death, even if he were good for nothing before. But there are various other notions entertained of the best uses to which dead men can be put. Some times we impregnate them with antiseptics and inflict them upon a long-suffering world, ages after, as mummies, the worst of all possible uses. Of all disgusting creatures, the beautiful Princess who walked the streets of Thebes 3,000 years ago, and who was unwrathed by the late Mr. Glidden, was the most disgusting. In place of a dark, good, swarthy-browed, passionate daughter of the Nile, he unfolded a dried-up, shrivelled, leathery object, with rusty eyes, and ghastly teeth, and gaunt limbs. Cremation, although a very sensible use, will never come into vogue, for the reason that people have an abhorrence of fire and of this type of destruction which it conveys. A handful of ashes in an urn is, after all, but a sorry reduction of beautiful woman and majestic man. The Indians sometimes suspend their dead in the air on high poles, but this subjects one to the unpleasantness of rain-storms sun-heats, turkey-buzzards, and crows. The Egyptians used to stand the skeletons of their friends at their feasts, that they might be reminded of the short, mean of life; but nowadays one's guests, although they might not object to being reminded of the brevity of life, could not be expected to have much appetite with a skeleton in the room grinning at them, so we keep our skeletons in our closets, under lock and key, where we can go and enjoy communion with them undisturbed. An item in a recent French paper, announcing the sale of the library of the late Count de Morny, states that several works in the collection are bound in human skin, and an ardent lover and author in Italy once sent a volume of his poems to his inamorata bound in his own skin, taken from his leg. This, however, is only a partial use for a dead man, as the phosphates still remain to be utilized.

The latest use for a dead man has been made of Mazzini, by some Italian savant, who has petrified him, and warrants him to keep in good condition until the end of time, growing harder and better, in fact, and becoming in after years a more solid, substantial, and permanent citizen than he was while in the flesh. This process of petrifaction has its advantages and disadvantages. It is not very pleasant to think of yourself as an object of curiosity, and that, during thousands of years to come, men will stare at you as they did at the Cardiff Giant, and women will "O my!" at you, and playfully punch you with their parasols, while relic-hunters, on the sly, will chip off your nose, one of your ears, or two or three fingers, as they now knock off a crystal from the rock, carry them away as souvenirs, and deposit them, carefully labelled, on the shelves with their spirituous bric-à-brac. Beyond this little personal disadvantage, however, we see no objection to the process, but, on the other hand, many advantages in favor of it. Just now the only possible use one can make of his ancestors is to hang their pictures upon his parlor walls, thence to slowly ascend until they reach the attic, where they afford a habitation for spiders and food for mice. But suppose that a man owned his ancestors, all in good stony preservation, how admirably he could utilize his relatives as building material. He might enter his front door between his grandfather on one side and his grandmother on the other, holding up the lintel. His uncles and aunts could be disposed about his house as caryatids and atlantes. Some peculiarly odious mother-in-law would make a superb gargoyle for his Gothic dormers. All cherubs could be worked into chimneys, fence-posts, pilasters, and window-caps, and, if necessary, serve the more domestic purposes of the chopping-block, the horse-trough, or the hitching-post. In this manner, one could take some pride in his ancestors. Consider the immense advantage such a utilization of dead men would have been to the rebuilding of Chicago. How nobly burnt district would have been rebuilt, and without any necessity of a rebate of the duty on stone.

There is a certain degree of personal comfort in this process of petrifaction also. If a man should accomplish anything worthy of being remembered, he could have the satisfaction of knowing that he could be set up in his front yard, or at the head of his street, or in his public square, the cheapest sort of a statue, and surpassing in artistic truth the most cunning skill of Praxitiles himself. If he had not accomplished anything particularly worthy of notice, he would still have the comforting assurance that, as an architectural device, he would be a thing of beauty and a joy forever. The perpetuation of man in this manner is on truly artistic principles, and appeals to the æsthetic sense. Any other use of man, such as planting him as a fertilizer, manuring him, burning him up, &c., appeals to a lower sense. Petrifaction combines the *utile et dulce*, and the loveliest woman who has ever shone in society can be preserved with pleasure to the fact that she need neve, cease to attract the admiration of mankind, but can shine resplendently through all the ages, with her grace of pose and symmetry of form as everlastingly fixed as those of the Venus de Milo.

Ruskin is no longer joined to his idol,—or, rather, he has found a new deity. The Arcadia which he is struggling to bring into being, where machinery shall be unknown and the husbandman shall practice agriculture as a fine art, absorbs his energies and his resources, and has even surpassed the paintings of Turner in his affections. A few years ago he tried to buy a number of Turner's drawings for the avowed object of preserving them from going to America. And now he has sold, to an American, Turner's masterpiece, the "Slave Ship," which has been the most cherished adornment of his home for the last thirty years, and which he has described, in "Modern Painters," with a fervid brilliancy of color that will endure as long as the picture itself, such a picture is, in itself, an era in American art.

Darwinism and Christianity.

HOGWOOD, April 19.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: An article appeared in the Sunday issue of THE TRIBUNE, to which I feel called upon, with your permission, to make a brief reply. The article is entitled "Darwinism and Christianity," thus implying a discussion of the question of the congruity of Darwinism with the Christian Religion, which is not actually discussed in the article, and consequently calls for no reply.

The leading aim of the writer is to show that, notwithstanding (in his own words), "there is an inherent conflict between Science and Religion" (which I utterly deny, if I can, simply because I am allowed to place the word *true* before the word Religion in the text, but other wise emphatically deny), the scientific and philosophical leaders of men make a great mistake "when they predict that all (Religions) which do not harmonize with Science must (ultimately) disappear."

The writer attempts to show that religious beliefs are of such a nature that the scientific methods of investigation into their truth or falsity cannot be applied. He makes the grand mistake, on which his whole argument is founded, and which vitiates every step of his logic, that religious beliefs are entitled to be called scientific the truth of which can be demonstrated by the logical method; not recognizing the fact that all demonstrable beliefs belong to the class technically called deductions—such, for instance, as that two and two are four; and entirely ignoring, or at least failing to recognize, the fact that all that body of beliefs correctly termed scientific, which are supported only by moral evidence in ever-varying degrees, from the crudest hypothesis to the greatly matured, belong to the class of most universally-received induction, are just as truly scientific beliefs, in the scientific sense of the term, as are the most demonstrable propositions of mathematics.

His further most unwarrantable limits his religious beliefs to those in the form or falsity of which cannot be demonstrated by the logical method; just as though the belief in the doctrines of the Immaculate Conception, or of papal absolution by the priest, were not just as truly religious as the belief in God or in future state.

The writer's position, then, under the preceding limitations, will read as follows: Science (i. e., Science existing in accordance with the logical canons for the investigation and communication of truth,—i. e., reason) can lay no claim to a method for testing the truth or falsity of any of those beliefs which he calls religious, and which he avers are, in virtue of their nature, incapable of demonstration. For him to assure us that there are certain religious beliefs that cannot be demonstrated as we demonstrate that two and two are four, or as we demonstrate (1) that material bodies unsupported in the air will fall to the ground, is wholly superfluous; but the assertion involves, in its last and comprehensive signification, as defined and explained, completely synonymous, as it is, with reason, is not the Divinely-constituted ultimate test of the credibility of all beliefs whatever, whether religious or otherwise, is one against which, on behalf of the highest and most sacred interests of humanity, we enter our most solemn protest. According to such a view, there is no test of religious truth but authority,—the authority of prophecy in matters of religious belief, specially represented by priesthoods in all countries and all ages, and which, whatever we may think of its claims, is really enough to admit the truth of the statement in regard to other sects (as witness the charges against Romanism) for the repression of conscientious, but thitherto free, thought.

The imputation against human nature contained in the assumption that any religious views are subjects of knowledge to be reached by the method of modification by the advancing scientific knowledge, general intelligence, and spirit of the age, is altogether unjust, and a libel on the highest hopes of man. To what purpose do we read religious history if we do not learn therefrom that all religious faiths (Christian included), like all other human beliefs, are subject to the same laws of modification and decay? Nowhere is the reasoning and spirit of the age (Science), which governs the whole domain of human thought? What else was the Reformation in its signification I have given to it, has overthrown, among the evil cheated races of the world, the superstitions of Paganism? What else but Science, in its quiet and comprehensive sense, has overthrown the earlier superstitions of the Christian Church, as, for instance, the superstitious character of fasting, mortification, consubstantiation, absolution by the priest, indulgences, &c.? And what else but Science has very nearly, if not quite, overthrown all like the superstition that the universe was created in six natural days? And what else but Science is now at work really to banish from all the most advanced lines of human thought, the most magnificent and sublime problems which can engage the human mind, except, of the most important ones, too, for the weal of the human race, with the most positive assurance, in the light of all the history of the past, that she will surely, in due time, eliminate from all religious creeds all (Christian included) whatever doctrines or beliefs shall ultimately be found not to "harmonize" with her supreme and benign authority in all matters of human belief!

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AMUSEMENTS.

A Week of Enjoyment Promised by the Academy Management.

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THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Mr. M. C. Daly, the popular comedian at the Academy of Music, takes a benefit to-morrow night, appearing as *Monsieur Jolly* in the "Long Strike," which is powerfully cast with the full strength of the Academy company. Master William Little will contribute a clog dance, and Miss Kate Mayhew has volunteered to appear in one of her best characters, *Katy O'Sheal*.

On Tuesday evening, Bartley Campbell's new play, "Peril; or, on the Beach at Long Branch," will be produced, with Miss Phillis Glover in the leading female role, supported by the Academy company. "Peril" has been pronounced by the Eastern critics to be one of the finest of modern society plays, and its production has been attended with the most marked success. Miss Glover comes with the reputation of an elegant, accomplished artist, and we doubt not the Academy patrons will find the week one of unusual interest and enjoyment.

THE NEW ACADEMY COMPANY.

With this week closes the opening season of the Academy of Music, and it has been a season of success rarely equalled in Chicago. On Monday night of next week an almost entirely new company makes its bow, supporting that splendid actress, Mrs. D. P. Bowers, in "Lady Audley's Secret." The new company will be composed of the following gentlemen and ladies: Stage manager, first old man, and strong character parts, James Padget, whom Mr. Gardiner, the manager, has most wisely retained, for the Chicago public would not willingly consent to lose him. Frank Evans, late with the Lingard troupe, as leading man, will play the principal part of the leading business at the Academy. Mr. Evans is quite a young man, but has already achieved high rank, in New Orleans and New York, as a talented, conscientious actor, of fine appearance and taste in dressing. The juvenile business will be chiefly assumed by John Webster, for two seasons at DeBar's Opera House, St. Louis, where he had gained great popularity. The less important portion of the juvenile business will devolve upon Spencer Pritchard, who has been re-engaged, as has also that earnest, capable lady, Miss Maynard. Mr. Gardiner, for a portion of the heavy business will occasion general satisfaction. Mr. W. F. Johnson, from Wood's Theatre, Cincinnati, will divide the "heavies" with him. For low comedian Mr. Gardiner has been fortunate in securing W. T. Melville, formerly of the Continental Theatre, Albany, who comes with a reputation second to no stock comedian in America. Mr. Ned. Marble, late from the Boston Museum Theatres, will be the second comedian. The old men and eccentric character parts will be shared by Mr. J. B. Evershed, a most excellent and acceptable actor in his line. Mr. Ed. Mackway, formerly a member of the Museum Company, has also been engaged. For general purposes, Geo. A. Pembroke, J. H. Sissen, Frank Hartwell, Ed. Masters, and D. K. Hodges are retained. Two additional chargers of prominence are to be added. On the ladies' side the new company bids fair to be one of the strongest ever formed. For leading business the celebrated actress, Susan Denin, has been engaged, and it is needless to say that the leading parts will be well sustained by her. She will be relieved, in the lighter leading business, by Miss Annie Campbell, a talented and beautiful actress, a favorite in Chicago, and Miss Blanche Bradshaw, recently from England, who is said to be a lady of most attractive personnel, a fine vocalist, and a fine actress in general. Her mother, Mrs. A. J. Bradshaw, will be the "old woman" of the company—a line of business in which she is said to have no superior. Misses Katy Wilson, Emma Whittle, Belle Leigh, Nellie Drury, Fannie Douglas, and Clara Jennings, of the present company, will remain for another season. They have all gained a firm foothold in the favor of the Academy patrons, and Mr. Gardiner does well to retain them. Miss Flora Sawton and Nellie McHenry, late former of Pittsburgh and the latter from St. Louis, will be added to the qualifications to the company. Negotiations are now pending with three other ladies, one of them a most celebrated soubrette. Johnny Kerr remains as the presiding genius of the box-office, where his politeness and urbanity have been one of the attractive features of the institution. Richard Hill will continue to wield the baton over his capital orchestra of fourteen performers. R. H. Farran and D. Rosenfield, scenic artists; Harry Canfield, S. Dixon, stage carpenters; A. Small and E. Langrige, properties and machinists, and J. R. Carhart, property man, complete the organization, which is certainly one of extraordinary strength and efficiency. Mr. Gardiner is evidently bent on retaining the excellent reputation he has already earned as the manager of a strictly first-class theatre.

THE MINSTRELS.

The simple announcement that, in accordance with urgent requests, the "Little Frauds" will be given by Harrigan and Hart the week at the Wood Side Theatre, will be sufficient to fill another six nights of crowded houses. The programme throughout is a fine one, embracing, in the first part, songs, dances, and sketches, farces, and comic songs, conversation, etc., ending with the "Phantom Chorus;" while in the second part are to be given the farce of "Squatter Sovereignties and Price; character songs by Frank Kent; "Ed Winkler," by Harrigan, Hart, and Martin; "Ye Merrie Monarch," by Hart, as Hot of Hamlet," by Kemble, Cotton, etc., etc., with a burlesque on the "Black Crook" for a finale. Charles Fulton, the great sensational, grotesque, and elaborate song and dance artist, and D. L. Morris, the great Germanic delineator, will make their first appearances at the Wood Side Opera House one week from to-morrow night.

GLOBE THEATRE.

The "Black Crook" proves to have been a most judicious investment on the part of Manager Langrishe, and nightly enjoys the satisfaction of seeing a densely-crowded auditorium. Success is enjoying a run of almost unparalleled success in Chicago, and there seems to be no limit to the diminution of patronage. Arrangements are in progress for the introduction of new features in the play, and Mr. Langrishe is now negotiating for other attractive novelties when the "Crook" shall have hadits day.

TURNER HALL.

The programme for the usual Sunday afternoon concert at West Twelfth street Turner Hall to-day is as follows:

1. Klapka March	E. Bach
2. Overture—Rey Blas	Mendelssohn
3. Waltz—From the Mountains	Conradi
4. Potpourri—Two Populi	Conradi
5. Finale from the Templar	Nicolai
6. Passacaglia Polka	Strauss
7. Pigeon Post Galop	Hermann
8. Overture—Martha	Flotow
9. Potpourri—Musical Wit	Neumann
10. Quadrille—Conferences	Keler Bela

GRAND CONCERT AND READING.

The music-lovers of the North Side, who have hitherto been neglected in the matter of first-class entertainments, will be delighted to learn that Miss Blanche Tucker, the gifted and charming young soprano, gives a grand concert, to-morrow evening, in the Fullerton Avenue Presbyterian Church, assisted by Prof. Geary; Prof. Collins, who will read; Mr. Bowman, the celebrated reader; and Mr. Clark Reynolds, conductor and accompanist. The programme is a very fine one, as will be seen below:

PART I.

1. Piano solo, "L'Espoir," Nocturne	Zollna
Prof. G. R. Zollna.	
2. Reading, "Merchant of Venice," Act 1, Scene 2	Shakspeare
Mr. J. H. Dowland.	
3. Sacred aria, "Consider the Lilies"	Topliffe
Miss Blanche Tucker and Prof. Geary.	
4. Tenor serenade, "Fairest is the Land"	Geary
Prof. Gustavus Geary.	
5. Duet, "A Night in Venice"	Arditi
Miss Blanche Tucker and Prof. Geary.	

PART II.

1. Piano solo, valse brilliante, "Birds of the Forest"	Zollna
Prof. G. R. Zollna.	
2. "The Meeting," the Waters" tenor solo	Moore
Prof. Gustavus Geary.	
3. Soprano solo, "La Farietta Valse," ("The Butterfly")	Torrey
Miss Blanche Tucker.	
4. Reading	Selected
Mr. J. H. Dowland.	
5. New duet, "Fly, Love, to Me"	Geary
Miss Blanche Tucker and Prof. Geary.	

THE SCHULTER CONCERT.

Mr. Edward Schulter, the tenor, who has been long and favorably known here as a vocalist, is arranging for a grand concert at Bauer's music store, Nos. 209, 322, 204, and 206 Wabash avenue, on the 26th inst., in which he will be assisted by some of the best talent in the city. Apart from the attractions of good performers and a good programme, Mr. Schulter, who is somewhat a favorite with the concert-going public, to whose entertainment he has ministered so often. We append the programme:

PART I.

1. Trio for violin, piano, and organ	Mr. Myron Whitney, Mr. Schulter, Mr. Wattons.
2. Song—"By the Blue Sea"	Smart
Mrs. W. S. Watrous.	
3. Chorus for male voices	
4. Aria from "Le Prophete"	Meyerbeer
Mr. Ed. Schulter.	
5. Ballad—"All in the Merry May"	Thomas
Mrs. R. S. Carpenter.	
6. Solo for piano	
Mr. Louis Falk.	
7. Te Deum (themes from)	Elliott
Mrs. R. S. Carpenter, Mr

NEW CHICAGO.

A Week Characterized by Great Activity in Rebuilding.

Brick and Lumber---The Supply and Demand---Heavy Timber.

New England Congregational, Messiah, and St. Paul's Churches.

The Chicago Fine Art Gallery---Progress of Work on the Theatres.

New Hotels, Business Blocks, Office Buildings, and Dwellings.

Work Commenced on the Removal of the Court House Ruins.

THE WEEK.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN REBUILDING—BRICK AND LUMBER, ETC.

The past week has been characterized by great activity in rebuilding. Buildings already commenced have risen rapidly, and many new projects have been matured, which were before in uncertainty. Upon nearly all by-lidings, especially those of a public character, the forces of operatives have been increased. Where are few debris remains untouched. There, are principally on Water street, near Franklin; on Randolph street, near the river; on Wash avenue, near Congress street, and a few places on Lake, Wells and Franklin streets, and all are liable to be speedily cleared. The idess of labor continue about the same, and the supply is abundant, although not so greatly in excess of the demand as when the subject was last mentioned in our columns. The prices of building material of different kinds continue without change, and the say may be said in regard to the supply of the various articles needed in reconstruction. We of last week that the supply of timber in all lines was likely to be fully equal to the demand. Some builders fear that there will be a scarcity of heavy timber, such as will be needed for the large class of buildings, and say that at the mills the great need in this direction has not been anticipated. In respect to the operations of the Relief bill, no beneficial effects have as yet been realized. The brickmakers have pretty much settled among themselves that they are safe from Canada competition, and in the case of most other materials that will enter into the city within a few months the saving will hardly compensate for the delay in obtaining the drawback. The few articles, upon which any saving is likely to be realized, have already been specified in our columns. The danger from frosted foundations seem now to be entirely passed. The trouble was in exceptional cases, and only where due care and discretion had not been exercised either by the owner, the architect, or the builder. Even upon Judge Farwell's building was remained some days ago, and to the casual observer it seems as firm and solid as ever.

THE BRICK SUPPLY.

Some months ago we gave full statistics of the brick manufacturing interest of the city, with the full capacity of every yard within our limits. The article which imparted the information also contained some prophecies respecting the supply of that season. The increase in the number of yards, and in the capacity of those already existing, has exceeded the anticipations of the most sanguine. Several new yards have been started with a capacity to produce from twenty to thirty millions, and some of the old yards will manufacture this season nearly twice as many as last. It is estimated that, in addition to what have been consumed during the winter, eight hundred million brick will be used in rebuilding the city before another winter. The aggregate capacity of all the yards in the city this season, will perhaps be four hundred and fifty millions. From fifty to one hundred million old brick can be utilized. The balance needed must come from the part of Illinois near the city, and from Wisconsin. Michigan may contribute a limited quantity of brick from parts of that State bordering on the lake shore, which can be delivered at reasonable prices. The above calculation of course includes only common brick. Pressed brick for fronts and finishing will be brought from various places, distance being with that class of material of less consequence. It is thought that the increased thickness of walls of all the new buildings erected in the burnt district will necessitate the using of at least one-third more brick within the same area than formerly. It is not now expected by anyone that the price of common brick will fall below six per thousand. The price of pressed brick will vary according to circumstances.

The brick-yards have all lumber commenced operations about the 1st or April, and the first kilns were ready for market during the first week in May. With favorable weather, it is thought possible to expect new brick this year before the 15th proximo, and, should there be an excess of rain, that fortunate event will be somewhat delayed. The late cold weather has seriously interfered with operations of the brickmakers. Some of them commenced drawing clay before last, but a freeze destroyed what they had done. Others commenced last Friday.

MANUFACTURED LUMBER.

It is said that the Secretary of the Treasury has decided that manufactured lumber will be entitled to the rebate allowed on building material. This is supposed to include doors, sashes, etc., and all kinds of planed lumber. Considerable relief has been expected from this source, but without any very good reason. The reasons why Canada could furnish us very little common undressed lumber were given in a previous article. Those reasons still prevent the importation of dressed and manufactured lumber. There are few planing mills, or manufactories of doors, sashes and blinds in any portion of Canada accessible to the Western States. Even if there were, it would be impossible for the Canadians to compete with our own manufacturers who have the raw material at their own doors, and machinery to manufacture into any shape desired in the cheapest manner possible. The benefits expected from the Relief bill seem to be rapidly contracting themselves within very small limits.

CHURCHES.

THE NEW ENGLAND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The New England Church congregation have been making active efforts to rebuild their church, and have been rewarded with a considerable d gree of success. The pastor has been East to secure pecuniary assistance, and has received a considerable amount of money. The aggregate of available funds from all sources probably reaches some $40,000. It is intended to erect a church that will cost $75,000. The Building Committee of the society held a meeting last week, and agreed to put the plans into the hands of Mr. Potter, a New York architect, who designed the old structure. The church is at the corner of White and North Dearborn streets, fronting on the latter street. The size of the lot is, perhaps, 70x90 feet. The shape of the old building was that of a cross, the front of the main part facing Dearborn street, the transepts forming the arms. The shape of the front part will be preserved, but the back part will be considerably changed. Back of the old structure, and joining it, will be erected a vestry building for Conference and Sunday School purposes. On the lower floor will be the Conference room, dining room, kitchen, and parlors. The second floor will be entirely occupied by the Sunday School as a room for public worship until the main auditorium is completed. This is expected to be the old foundations of the west end of the present church, and also of the east transept. The vestibule on Dearborn street will be made feet, and reached by a flight of a few steps from the street. The main floor of the auditorium will be reached by broad flights of stairs. The pulpit is to be opposite the entrance as before. The seats will be ranged in circles about the pulpit, with radiating aisles. The organ will have two key-boards, one in the Sunday school room and the other in the main auditorium. The church will be in every way superior to the old one. It is expected to commence work immediately on the shell and to have it ready for use some time during the summer. It will probably be a year before the church is completed.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER.

Messrs. H. Floyd Faulker & Geo. R. Clarke, Nos. 33 and 34 Studio Building, LaSalle street, are pushing w ing drawings for the new church of the Redeemer (First Unitarian Society), Rev. E. Laird Collier, pastor, to be erected on the southeast corner of Michigan avenue and Twenty-second street. Style, Venetian Gothic; material, stone laid in random work with bands, and string courses of cut stone in various colors. The roofs of main building, transepts and tower, are to be covered with enamelled gal- vanized slate, laid in ornamental patterns of green and red, and crested with iron braiding and finials. The roof of main hall ding is broken, with transepts and dormers, free relieving its otherwise heavy appearance. The windows will be filled with the beautiful colored glass taken from the old church, and such additions as may be necessary to carry out the new design. Externally the church may be described as forming one harmonious structure, with the tower on the corner, thus making a striking feature upon both streets. This tower is 98 feet in height, surmounted by a gable (facing Michigan avenue) 18 feet in height, making a total of 116 feet from the level of the street. In this tower, facing Twenty-third street, is an outside covered flight of steps, with open tracery of stone on either side, and forming on its twenty-third street face an arcade. On the Michigan avenue front is an open cloister with detached columns, and finely carved capitals with the words in relief cut upon the stone under the frieze, "Enter into His gates with thanksgiving." Above the cloister is a large window some 15 feet in width and high in proportion. The gable is surmounted with a cross, and is 100 feet high from ground to top of cross. The Twenty-third street front has one open gable in centre of the building, and a roof, hipped back from the front, with window forming a gable over the entrance carriage porch at the east end, which projects 20 feet. The width of the building some 80 feet, thus affording a dry and convenient entrance for those who come in carriages in stormy weather. There given three distinct entrances to the church, one in front and one on the side. The building is to be some 80 feet back from the line of Michigan avenue, and about the same distance back from Twenty-third street. The total dimensions of the structure, from front of the cloister to the rear of the building, will be 197 feet, while its extreme width on the front will be 90 feet. Entering upon the front into a large open vestibule, with stairs leading up on either side to the floor of the church, or directly down into the Sunday School room, with ladies' room, infants' room, and library, opening out with folding doors therefrom. There are also provided suitable kitchen and toilet rooms. Beneath the church is the basement, containing all the heating apparatus,—properly connecting with church floor, and all carefully prepared for thorough ventilation. The church floor is 88 feet wide and 75 feet long, and is to be arranged in similar manner as the old church, as the intention is to use the old pews, pulpit, etc. At the sides the audience chamber will be 34 feet high, and in the centre 55 feet, following the inclination of the corner roofs, and having a flat ceiling 20 feet wide, running the whole length of roof, with colored glass panels from the old church between the panels. These trusses are to allow in the church, and form a prominent feature for decoration. The seat of the audience chamber facing the entrance is to be finished in three arches, with open aerolos screens on either side—one for the organ and choir, the other for the commandments and lines, etc. Above that is to be an appropriate quotation outside the central arch, which forms the chancel. It is proposed, though not yet fully decided upon, to fabricate a screen of colored glass in the rear of the chancel, which will give a subdued and rich light without glare, as the light comes through the pastor's room, which is in the rear. The pastor's room will be entered from the stairway leading up from the entrance hall, and also communicates with the rostrum by a door hidden in the panel of the rear of chancel. The interior of the church is to be stained from the rough plaster, thus giving a tone and brilliancy, and the wood-work of the pulpit, will be colored in harmonious tints with rich and brilliant lines, though not in chasders and mouldings. It is the intention to get effective colors and forms, rather than by elaborate carved or moulded work; and if the final effect is in accordance with the sketches already made, it certainly will be a new and novel feature in church architecture in this city.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

The Building Committee of St. Paul's Universalist Church, met on Friday, at the office of Messrs. Burling & Adler, architects, for the purpose of receiving proposals for the re-erection of the church edifice. Mr. Thomas had submitted a drawing of a very handsome church, with a rear wing for a Sunday School. The Committee decided, however, to put in a basement, and the necessary changes for this purpose have been made in the plan. The elegant tower and spire, forming so conspicuous a feature in the design, have been retained, as also the grand entrance, and other general features. Now that arrangements have been made and a plan adopted, the work will be pushed forward rapidly, it being the intention of the architects to have the building under roof by December next.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

St. James' Episcopal, probably more than any other city church, stood in the midst of its parishioners. Many of them, with but few exceptions, living on the neighboring blocks and streets. Its former vestibule has been fitted up temporarily as a neat little chapel to seat near 200 people, and will be opened by the new Rector, Rev. Arthur Brooks, on next Sunday, and the congregation will doubtless be one of much interest. The congregation are busy restoring their residences. Mr. F. H. Winslow has a block of four houses on Superior street, nearly up to the third story. Mr. T. N. Arnold has commenced the foundations of his marble block on the corner of Huron and Pine streets. James L. Sparks' barn, on Cass near Erie street, is nearly done, and his house up to the first floor. Julian S Ramsay, corner of Cass and Huron streets, W. K. Nixon, corner of Cass and Erie streets, are at work on their foundations, and numerous other St. James people are clearing the ground previous to rebuilding.

OTHER CHURCHES.

Professor Swing's congregation have decided on their plans, and Mr. H. V. King and many other members of that church are getting out work on their own houses. So we understand with the New England Church, Dr. Collyer's, and others.

ART AND DRAMA.

THE CHICAGO FINE ART GALLERY.

The arts are not to be forgotten in the feverish haste to restore the city to its former commercial pre-eminence, although no definite resolve has been made relative to the re-erection of the Academy of Design. The absence of the Academy devolves upon Mr. Aitken, in days gone by the successful manager of the Opera House Art Gallery, the duty of providing for the artists and their productions. The rush of business to the South in violation of the law which is supposed to lend the Star of Empire Westward, has resulted in the proposed erection of the "Chicago Fine Art Gallery," as it will be named, nearly as far away as Thirteenth street, on Wabash avenue. The fire, however, will have so accustomed citizens to magnificent distances that this journey will be but a trifling drawback to West and North Side residents.

The building which is to bear the important name above given, and perform the sacred duty of cherishing art, will be erected by Mr. Brand, upon the lot immediately south of, and adjoining, his present place of business. As it will, probably, be for some time the only building of the kind in the city, great care has been taken in the design, the credit of which is due, we learn, to Mr. E. L. Brand, whose interest in it will extend no further than as owner of the building, and will, except in a pecuniary way, cease as soon as it is placed in Mr. Aitken's charge.

The front elevation, though handsome, will not be of the lofty, character which has characterized buildings devoted exclusively to art, the material being modest pressed brick. It will be two stories in height only, but those stories will be lofty, and though the structure will be unpretending, it will be by no means stunted, especially when the character of the surrounding buildings is taken into consideration. It will have a frontage on Wabash avenue of 24½ feet, and a depth of 128. The first story will be fifteen feet high, and the second twelve feet. The lower story will be divided into two parts, the front being intended for a store for artists' materials. The rear will open to the gallery, or galleries, rather, will be a door to the south of the store, through a wide hall. Proceeding through this hall, which is open to the store, the visitor will come upon a large octagonal room, beautifully lighted from above through a skylight in the roof, and also by windows in the sides. The peculiar shape here adopted reflects much credit upon the sagacity of the designer, as the multiplication of the sides gives room for a recess at the corners, so that not one can be a recess unlighted from above. A full light can thus be thrown upon every wall of the room, and diffused throughout the room, and no one wall will have an advantage in this particular over any other. The first of these octagonal rooms will be devoted to the exhibition of water colors. Adjoining this room is another exactly like it, with the exception of the skylight, which, also, which will be used for the exhibition of oil paintings. The upper story will be given up to studios for the artists.

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A. C. Badger will erect on Washington, between State and Dearborn streets, a handsome cut-stone front store, 26x150 feet, five stories and basement, from plans by Wheelock & Thomas.

The Messrs. Burling have furnished designs for a cut-stone front store for J. M. Williams, on State street, near Madison, 26x100 feet, and five stories in height. Will be ready in October.

Also two stores on Randolph street, for the Home of the Friendless, cut-stone front. Each 20x100 feet, and three stories high.

COPELAND & WEARY.

Messrs. Copeland & Weary, the young architects in Room 35 Bench Block, are furnishing drawings for a building to be erected by Mr. J. M. Gillespie, at No. 705 Wabash avenue. It is intended to be three stories in height, with basement, and will be occupied by Mr. Gillespie as a first-class retail grocery. The material for the front will be light-brown sandstone, which will be trimmed rather unusually with Philadelphia pressed brick, and the arches over the windows of pressed brick. The first story will be of iron columns and plate glass. Bands and squares of tiles will be introduced into the fronts. The use of brown stone is rare, and the building will be unique in Chicago, where the order of the day seems to be to use it wherever procurable. The building looks very well in the drawings, and will doubtless improve its appearance when actually built.

BURLING & LORWENTHAL.

Messrs. Bauer & Loewenthal are erecting a fine building on the site of the old Richmond House, with a front of 132 feet on Water street, by 96 feet on Michigan avenue. It will be built of brick, ornamented with gray sandstone, four stories in height, and will have a frontage of 100 feet on the second twelve feet. The lower story will be divided into two parts, the front being intended for a store for artists' materials. The rear will open to the gallery, or galleries, rather, will be a door to the south of the store, through a wide hall. Proceeding through this hall, which is open to the store, the visitor will come upon a large octagonal room, beautifully lighted from above through a skylight in the roof, and also by windows in the sides. The peculiar shape here adopted reflects much credit upon the sagacity of the designers. The multiplication of the sides gives room for a recess at the corners, so that not one can be a recess unlighted from above. A full light can thus be thrown upon every wall of the room, and diffused throughout the room, and no one wall will have an advantage in this particular over any other. The first of these octagonal rooms will be devoted to the exhibition of water colors. Adjoining this room is another exactly like it, with the exception of the skylight, which, also, which will be used for the exhibition of oil paintings. The upper story will be given up to studios for the artists.

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THE STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING.

The *Staats Zeitung* Company are desirous of translating its English component. They are about erecting, from plans drawn by Messrs. Otis Lochmiti, an elegant building on Fifth avenue, between Madison and Washington streets. The size of the proposed structure on the ground is 40x75 feet, and the height will be five stories above a high basement. The first, second, and third stories will be occupied for office purposes; the upper stories, for the mechanical work of the paper. The composing room is to be on the fourth floor, and the press on the fifth. The editorial rooms are to be on the third floor—large, commodious, and well arranged. A statue of Liberty and Washington will adorn the art of printing, will be placed in a niche in the fourth story, and the upper part of the front elevation, is to be adorned with three statues, to be emplaced in the pediments and the Goddess of Liberty. Work will be commenced this week.

Messrs. Burling & Adler, who have moved back to the habitable regions on the South Side and have opened their office on Monroe street, near Dearborn, have on hand a large number of first-class buildings. They are about to construct for Mrs. General Lawrence, one of the heirs of the Kingsbury estate, a store and office building on Randolph street, 20x80 feet, and three stories high, with cut-stone front. It will have a frontage of 80 feet, and cost $20,000.

Plans have been perfected for the rebuilding of the Newberry estate, the Newberry block on the corner of Kinzie and North Wells streets. Its dimensions are 104x140 feet, four stories in height, with basement. It will probably cost $75,000.

Messrs. Scoville & Allen are about to let contracts for four dwellings and stores, to be built on Sedgwick street, 50x100 feet, on the southeast corner of Madison and Franklin streets. It will be occupied, when completed, by G. M. Henderson, and will probably cost $80,000.

Plans are nearly completed for the residences of George A. Armour, Eli Bates, Joseph R. Walker, Casg, on the North Side. All will be in every respect as before the fire.

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A. J. KINNEY.

A. J. Kinney, at No. 1 Wabash avenue, has furnished drawings for the following buildings: A handsome four-story and basement building 24x50 feet, on the corner of Lake and Franklin streets, which will extend back to Third avenue. The Dearborn street front will be of plain pressed brick, with cut-stone trimmings and brick. It will cost about $25,000 and will be the property of Jacob H. Frank, Esq. It will be used for store and dwelling purposes.

The same architect sells also erect a handsome four-story and basement building for G. A. May, on Franklin street, 50x90 feet, to cost $30,000. The brown sandstone. The building will cost $20,000.

Another handsome four-story building, with basement, will also be erected by Mr. Kinney, on Clark street, near Monroe, 50x90 feet. The front of this building will also be brown sandstone. It will be occupied for stores and offices, and will cost $30,000.

J. H. Farleigh is about to erect near Congress street, on Wabash avenue, 100 feet front on Wabash avenue, with a depth of 160 feet. It will be used for stores. The front will be of Philadelphia pressed brick with stone trimmings and ornaments, and will cost $100,000.

J. Sobey, Esq., will erect at No. 61 Kinzie street a three-story and basement brick building, to be used for stores. The front will be elaborately trimmed with galvanized iron, and cost $15,000. It will have a front of 25 feet, and run back 75 feet.

William Lill will erect three-story and basement stores, 75x80 feet, at a cost of $30,000.

HENRICHSEN & ADLER.

Giles Bros. have purchased a fifty-foot lot on the east side of Wabash avenue, near Harrison street, and intend to erect thereon a handsome store, and especially adapted to the business of the firm. The plate glass windows, each ten by fourteen feet, are divided with handsome pilasters, with rich and novel capitals, their shafts having round and square panels alternately, filled in with tiles of various designs and many varieties and colors. The upper stage of the store front has large sheets of plate glass, divided by heavy mullions, with a handsome panel of size, supporting the frieze and cornice above. The stories above the second stage will be occupied as dwellings. The building is of Philadelphia pressed brick with stone trimmings. It will be finished with all modern improvements, and cost $75,000. The hotel will be kept by Mr. Maulton.

THE CONTRACTS LET.

Mention was made in THE TRIBUNE two weeks ago of a large hotel about to be erected on the corner of State and Van Buren streets, George O. Garnsey, architect. The contract for the building has been awarded to Messrs. Barger & Sharp, and the hotel will be ready for occupancy on or near October 1.

STORES AND OFFICES.

MESSRS. HAMLIN, HALE & CO.

We have already alluded to the splendid establishment to be erected by the Ewing estate for the use of the retail business of Hamlin, Hale & Co., at the corner of Madison and Peoria streets. They are now about to attempt a greater enterprise. They will commence, immediately, the erection of an immense building for the use of their rapidly-increasing jobbing trade, on the north-west corner of Madison and Franklin streets. The size on the ground is to be 90 on the first street by 190 on the latter. The height is to be five stories. The material will be handsome pressed brick, with elaborate stone trimmings, and a galvanized iron cornice. The first story will be of iron on both streets, with large windows of French plate glass. The brick will be carried down to the curb of Clevland sandstone, which will add to the beauty, and preclude the possibility of dampness. The interior is to be handsomely finished. The first floor will be used for domestic goods, the second for dry goods, the third for woolen goods, the fourth for hosiery, and the fifth for notions. The entire establishment will have a capacity of 30 per cent greater than that of any wholesale dry goods establishment in the city, will be supplied with four steam elevators, and all the conveniences and appliances needed in a first-class establishment of that description. The firm have shown extraordinary enterprise since the fire, having been the first to resume business after that unfortunate event. Their temporary store, as pictured in our sketch of ruins, indicates that they will continue in the path which they have marked out for long years.

GURNEE & WALKER.

The re-erection of the church edifice. Mr. Thomas had submitted a drawing of a very handsome church, with a rear wing for a Sunday School. The Committee decided, however, to put in a basement, and the necessary changes for this purpose have been made in the plan. The elegant tower and spire, forming so conspicuous a feature in the design, have been retained, as also the grand entrance, and other general features. Now that arrangements have been made and a plan adopted, the work will be pushed forward rapidly, it being the intention of the architects to have the building under roof by December next.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

St. James' Episcopal, probably more than any other city church, stood in the midst of its parishioners. Many of them, with but few exceptions, living on the neighboring blocks and streets. Its former vestibule has been fitted up temporarily as a neat little chapel to seat near 200 people, and will be opened by the new Rector, Rev. Arthur Brooks, on next Sunday, and the congregation will doubtless be one of much interest. The congregation are busy restoring their residences. Mr. F. H. Winslow has a block of four houses on Superior street, nearly up to the third story. Mr. T. N. Arnold has commenced the foundations of his marble block on the corner of Huron and Pine streets. James L. Sparks' barn, on Cass near Erie street, is nearly done, and his house up to the first floor. Julian S Ramsay, corner of Cass and Huron streets, W. K. Nixon, corner of Cass and Erie streets, are at work on their foundations, and numerous other St. James people are clearing the ground previous to rebuilding.

OTHER CHURCHES.

Professor Swing's congregation have decided on their plans, and Mr. H. V. King and many other members of that church are getting out work on their own houses. So we understand with the New England Church, Dr. Collyer's, and others.

ART AND DRAMA.

THE CHICAGO FINE ART GALLERY.

The arts are not to be forgotten in the feverish haste to restore the city to its former commercial pre-eminence, although no definite resolve has been made relative to the re-erection of the Academy of Design. The absence of the Academy devolves upon Mr. Aitken, in days gone by the successful manager of the Opera House Art Gallery, the duty of providing for the artists and their productions. The rush of business to the South in violation of the law which is supposed to lend the Star of Empire Westward, has resulted in the proposed erection of the "Chicago Fine Art Gallery," as it will be named, nearly as far away as Thirteenth street, on Wabash avenue. The fire, however, will have so accustomed citizens to magnificent distances that this journey will be but a trifling drawback to West and North Side residents.

The building which is to bear the important name above given, and perform the sacred duty of cherishing art, will be erected by Mr. Brand, upon the lot immediately south of, and adjoining, his present place of business. As it will, probably, be for some time the only building of the kind in the city, great care has been taken in the design, the credit of which is due, we learn, to Mr. E. L. Brand, whose interest in it will extend no further than as owner of the building, and will, except in a pecuniary way, cease as soon as it is placed in Mr. Aitken's charge.

The front elevation, though handsome, will not be of the lofty, character which has characterized buildings devoted exclusively to art, the material being modest pressed brick. It will be two stories in height only, but those stories will be lofty, and though the structure will be unpretending, it will be by no means stunted, especially when the character of the surrounding buildings is taken into consideration. It will have a frontage on Wabash avenue of 24½ feet, and a depth of 128. The first story will be fifteen feet high, and the second twelve feet. The lower story will be divided into two parts, the front being intended for a store for artists' materials. The rear will open to the gallery, or galleries, rather, will be a door to the south of the store, through a wide hall. Proceeding through this hall, which is open to the store, the visitor will come upon a large octagonal room, beautifully lighted from above through a skylight in the roof, and also by windows in the sides. The peculiar shape here adopted reflects much credit upon the sagacity of the designers. The multiplication of the sides gives room for a recess at the corners, so that not one can be a recess unlighted from above. A full light can thus be thrown upon every wall of the room, and diffused throughout the room, and no one wall will have an advantage in this particular over any other. The first of these octagonal rooms will be devoted to the exhibition of water colors. Adjoining this room is another exactly like it, with the exception of the skylight, which, also, which will be used for the exhibition of oil paintings. The upper story will be given up to studios for the artists.

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Correspondence of The Chicago Tribune.

HEIDELBERG, Germany, March 30.

Last Friday I went to see one of the famous Heidelberg duels, which are fought here so frequently as the students. It is not always easy to obtain access to one of these duels, and, unless you are acquainted with one of the "Corps Students," it is an impossibility. I was fortunate enough, when I first came here, to get acquainted with one of the Yellow Caps, and so saw a fight which many leave Heidelberg without seeing. I will first tell you about the "Corps Students" themselves, and then about the duel which I witnessed.

THE "CORPS STUDENTS"

are so called because they belong to "Corps" or "Clubs," and are quite different from the other students, inasmuch as they never think of studying or going to a lecture, and divide their time principally between drinking, dueling, and boating; while the other students do really study. In Heidelberg there are seven "Corps," called respectively the "White," "Green," "Yellow," "Blue," "Light Red," "Dark Red," and "Crimson Caps." All the "Corps" have different colors, of course; but they are called hereafter the color of their caps; for instance, these students wearing the white caps, are called the "White Caps;" those wearing the green caps are called the "Green Caps," etc. The best of these "Corps," and the one in which the members conduct themselves the most like gentlemen, is the "Corps" called the "White Caps," which is composed entirely of the sons of noblemen. All the members of these "Corps" have two caps. One is called a "street-cap," which is a common cap, made out of cloth of the adopted color of the respective "Corps;" and the other is a little cap, about the size of a saucer, also made of cloth of the adopted color of the respective "Corps," and covered with either gold or silver embroidery, which makes them very expensive, some of them are worth as much as 60 or 70 guldens. These little caps are called "Kneipen Caps," which means a cap which is worn when they get together of an evening to drink. They are held on the head by means of a rubber band, which is passed under the back hair of the lady present, and the students have none. They pay quite as much attention, however, to the fixing of their "back hair" as the ladies do; and if you could see them fix their hair parted in the most exquisite manner, and plastered down with (upon an average) a quarter of an ounce of pomade to every three hairs, you would coincide with the opinion of not only myself, but of every one else who is possessed of the average amount of common sense, and think that they look like so many apes strutting around the streets. Indeed, since my arrival in Heidelberg, I have been more in the habit of laughing than ever before; and I sometimes think that, if his theory be true, and we do all spring from apes, the Heidelberg "Corps Students" differ slightly so far.

THEIR HABIT OF DRINKING

is really something beauty. They drink upon an average about 12 glasses of beer each time they get together, have arrived at such a point of perfection in the noble art of drinking that they can drink between 60 and 70 glasses before they commence to feel the effects of it, and then they do think about five evenings in the week. This habit of regularly drinking so much beer would of course not agree with a delicate person who two Americans have died here on account of drinking such a quantity of beer); but it does not seem to injure the German at all, for his ability to drink so much beer, seems to belong exclusively to them, and it is apparently hereditary, for I have seen children of six years old drinking beer with their parents, and as an example of their drinking powers, I will cite the following two examples: A few evenings ago, one of the "Corps" where drinking, and the club-house, and one of the members came in as the clock was about to strike 12, and bet that he could drink 12 glasses of beer, and the 12 strokes of the clock were the limit for the lamp burning, which exploded and set the room on fire; and you can imagine how drunk he must have been when I tell you that his legs were literally horribly before he became aware of the fact that there might possibly be something the matter with him, and accordingly staggered out of the room, and fell senseless in the street. He was so drunk that he didn't know enough to go to the window or door, but still seemed out instinct for help, which, after awhile brought the neighbors to the rescue, and they, only in time to save him from being carried him, horribly burnt, out of the room, and took great care of him for one day and a half, at the end of which time he was pronounced out of danger, and in a condition to be left in a position that instead of sticking it touched and the eyes being protected by large tinted spectacles, it is very seldom, if ever, that a real injury occurs, further than cutting up their faces, and that doesn't last long, for the wound soon heals up, and leaves a scar, which the students are very proud of; in fact, they look upon it as very much of a fellow unless he has at least one scar.

Last Friday I saw four duels. Each pair fought for a quarter of an hour, unless the doctor declared one of them was too badly hurt to fight it out for that length of time, when, of course, the opposite party was declared victor. Two of the duels I got out of, as the students all walked up and examined it in the most unconcerned manner possible. The Director wrote down in his book here and there a few words, and the duel was over. The other two duels, when the Director (who is the second of the duelist) had finished writing, he closed his book, and the duelists, with their seconds, formed in procession, as all the "Corps Students" are quite interested in the duel. "Corps Students" collect around the house of the deceased, and form in line with blazing torches, till at last the word is given to march, and then, headed by the band, playing the President's March, then the officers of the Corps to which the deceased belonged, in full dress, and carrying their drawn swords, and then the rest of the duelists; then the hearse (with the coffin exposed,) drawn by horses in black drapery; on the coffin are placed the cap and sword of the deceased, and behind his Corps, bearing torches; then the clergyman and servants of the deceased, and then members of the other Corps, bearing torches. They all march to the grave, and after singing the Corps song, they form in a circle around the grave, and the Director of the University, and, after singing another song, they throw their torches on the ground in the form of a cross, and then turn their backs on the grave, and go to the house where they have their duels, where they give three cheers—whether in honor of the dead student's memory I have not yet had the courage to ask, but it certainly seems very ridiculous to me that, after having just buried one of their friends, they should give three cheers, and then go and drink, and sing when I tell you that, after giving the three cheers, they rush into the house, and drink and drink till about noon the next day, when they are either drunk or rather stumbling, along in the direction of home, in a very subdued and indignified manner. Some of these duels are fought in the Saloon of the Hotel Schwein, and sometimes in the same manner. All this reminded me very much of a barber-shop, with the barber calling out "Next," when his chair is ready for the next victim.

I can assure you it is disgusting, and I went away with more contempt for the Heidelburg Corps Students and their duels than ever.

FRANK.

The English of the Prayer-Book.

On the whole, there is far to an English like the English of the Prayer-Book, and next to that, no English like that of our translation of the Bible. Both were made at a happy moment. They belong to that stage of our language which is archaic enough to be venerable, but not so archaic as to be generally hard to understand. Being the only writings of their own age which are thoroughly familiar to every one, they seem to have a [illegible] writings which does not [illegible] men of the eighteenth century. But our Bible and Prayer-Book are the property of the whole people. They are a great thing to have a

monument of that fresh and vigorous stage of our language familiar to every cart driver and every dairy maid. The Scotch, all the Scotch, of the Prayer-Book has something more than the incidental merit of representing a very happy stage of the language. The men who put the Prayer-Book into English knew what they were about, they knew how to adopt their language to the particular purpose for which it was meant. The eighteenth century was an age of very wicked sentences; but we find no long-winded sentences in the original portions of the Prayer-Book, and the sentences of that period, with the exception in particular one set which we will not say is wholly lost, but which is so certain that a vast number of people do not make use of it, are very short. They have a certain rhythm. Many people seem to put together their sentences as they put together their coffee; they put in so much of this and so much of that, and then they grind it very fine indeed, and then they put in a little more, and then they put in a little more, and then they put in a little more

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REAL ESTATE.

Narrow-Gauge Road to Evanston---Will It Be Built.

Opposing Companies Claim the Right of Way.

Activity in The Real Estate Market—Important Sales During the Week.

Transactions in Choice Residence Property.

Resolutions---The Custom House Site---Summary of Sales for the Week.

Those persons who read the ordinance admitting the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad into the city, with the curious interpolation of the name of the Evanston & Evanston Railroad in one of the sections, without any previous mention of the fact that Company. Upon inquiry, we learn there are two companies in the field, extensively preparing to build narrow-gauge roads to Evanston. As there is business for only one, it is necessary for the other to withdraw, which neither are willing to do. The following is the history of the case as made by the Chicago, Evanston & Evanston Company, in opposition to the Chicago & Evanston Company:

The Evanston charter (granted by the General Assembly in 1861, and ordinance of the city to construct, passed by the Common Council in 1868), under which they have very generally been formed by the present generation, but which, notwithstanding, do vest the whole of the franchise in the people of Evanston at the present moment. The charter was obtained by Dr. Evans, now Mayor of Colorado, and authorized the construction of a railroad from Evanston to the City of Chicago. Its terms forbade the use of certain streets by name within the city, and hence this name was left out, and the rest were open to its use.

Then another set of men than Doctor Evans and his associates, having in view chiefly its capture from competitors, having in view chiefly its capture was within the city, gobbled it up, increased the capital from $50,000 to $500,000 on paper, without notice to the Doctor, tried to forfeit the charter (to being in Colorado), etc. They found that the Council, however, to get an ordinance passed by the Common Council in 1868, to forfeit the charter, and to build a horse-power road from Fuller-ton Avenue on North Halsted to Hawthorn avenue, thence to Larrabee, down Larrabee to Erie, over Erie to Sedgwick, and down Sedgwick across the river to the city by paying half the cost of a bridge over the river. This ordinance was "to be void unless fifteen months a road was laid and completed to the city limits, and within two years to Evanston." Provided, however, that the delay arising from injunction or order of Court should not be counted." This act of men installed as one of its Directors Dexter Horton, in 1864, and then was Russell Jones, then President of the Chicago Horse Railway. Within less than a year, he sold out his stock and that of Mr. Dole, the largest stockholder in the concern, to certain gentlemen then and now known as directors of the North Side Horse Railway Company, entering into a solemn agreement with Hoskins (an Evanston man, who, with Jones and one other person, were the only stockholders), that they would, without delay, equip, and run a railroad from Chicago to Evanston, and do no other business than that of Evanston and Lake View have been given them to do ever since, but which they have found it convenient to let lie. In this action the latter gentlemen installed themselves as directors (Board No. 2).

They then filed a bill to set aside the forfeiture of charter and for other purposes soon after, but those in Colorado and his growing interests seemed to have rendered his pursuits of a sluggish—the injunction which he obtained enjoining these Directors from doing anything for a long time, was considered to be only an injunction simply against the stock. The North Chicago or January 1st obtained an injunction against the board forbidding the latter to build a road.

These things being done all parties [illegible] while sleeping, were aroused by a general call of the docket about [illegible] ago, wherein all cases not being [illegible] were dismissed. The stockholders [illegible] from the files, but, within the thirty days, the parties reinstated and went to work, and in one case, that of Evanston, [illegible] have continued had not certain real property-holders of Evanston and Lake View, associated themselves as the Evanston, and organized a Company under [illegible] of the Chicago, Lake View & Railroad Company), with a view of building a railroad from a central [illegible] to a similar one in Evanston. Examination has taken place, surveys made, surveying routes, bargaining for right of way is now before the Committee on Railroads of the Common Council, and it is hoped that the city over Southport and Hawthorne to the junction of the latter with Larrabee, and Evanston to Chicago, avenue. While the Chicago, Lake View & Evanston Company in the Committee of the Council, the North Chicago Railway Directors, who in the month of January, 1865, as Directors of the Evanston and Evanston Railroad," which was one of the companies authorized under the charter and the city ordinance of 1868, awoke from a sleep broken but [illegible] years, by the opposing injunction, and without appearing before the Committee of the Council but once, since getting the Chicago & Evanston Railroad a reception of the privileges, rights, and [illegible] granted to the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad ordinance reported to the Council [illegible] two weeks ago, to which ordinance is made the special order for to-morrow evening. Not only does this grant to the Chicago & Evanston Railroad all the rights granted the Atlantic & Pacific except of contract paragraphs, recognizing the [illegible] of CABINET PIANOS, which the Messrs. S. [illegible] as in the proper character it will be able to. It is true, the ordinance of 1864 [illegible] any arising from injunction or order of Court not be counted." The North Chicago and Directors had no [illegible] since 1865, except not to forfeit Dr. [illegible] stock. Can any intelligent man [illegible] of this action accomplished by the [illegible] of 1864. The injunction there consisted in one which should be efficient to prevent the Chicago & Evanston Railroad from [illegible] the two years limitation of the ordinance, the Directors of the "Chicago and Evanston" were bound to use due diligence in [illegible] all legal obstacles, if such there [illegible] the law says "no man shall take advantage of his own wrong." The Directors of the Courts would uphold this ordinance, notwithstanding the time laches and bad [illegible] Chicago & Evanston Railroad Company," [illegible] not a street, or hardly a lot, in the [illegible] from one of the Directors of the North Chicago Railway, [illegible] Evanston Railway.

[illegible] ERNEST, Agent, 278 State-st., Chicago.

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FOR SALE—ON MONTHLY PAYMENTS, the most desirable lots on Burlington-st., between Fortieth and Forty-first st. Apply at 73 State-st., up stairs.

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FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGE AND LOT, $1,950. Cottage and lot, $1,900. Cottage and lot, $1,800. Cottage and lot, $1,500. All on easy terms. Possession now. Lots or cottages to exchange. E. W. WHITNEY, 43 South Desplaines-st.

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FOR SALE—SUPERIOR ST., BETWEEN CASS and Rush, 50 feet south front to 16 feet deep to alley.
Superior-st., east of St Clair-st., south front, 20 by 100 feet.
J. D. HARVEY, 201 Wabash-av.

FOR SALE—ON MICHIGAN-AV., SOUTH OF Twenty-second-st., brick house, 9 or 10 rooms, hot and cold water; lot 25x187; good frame barn. PARK & CLARK, 230 Wabash-av.

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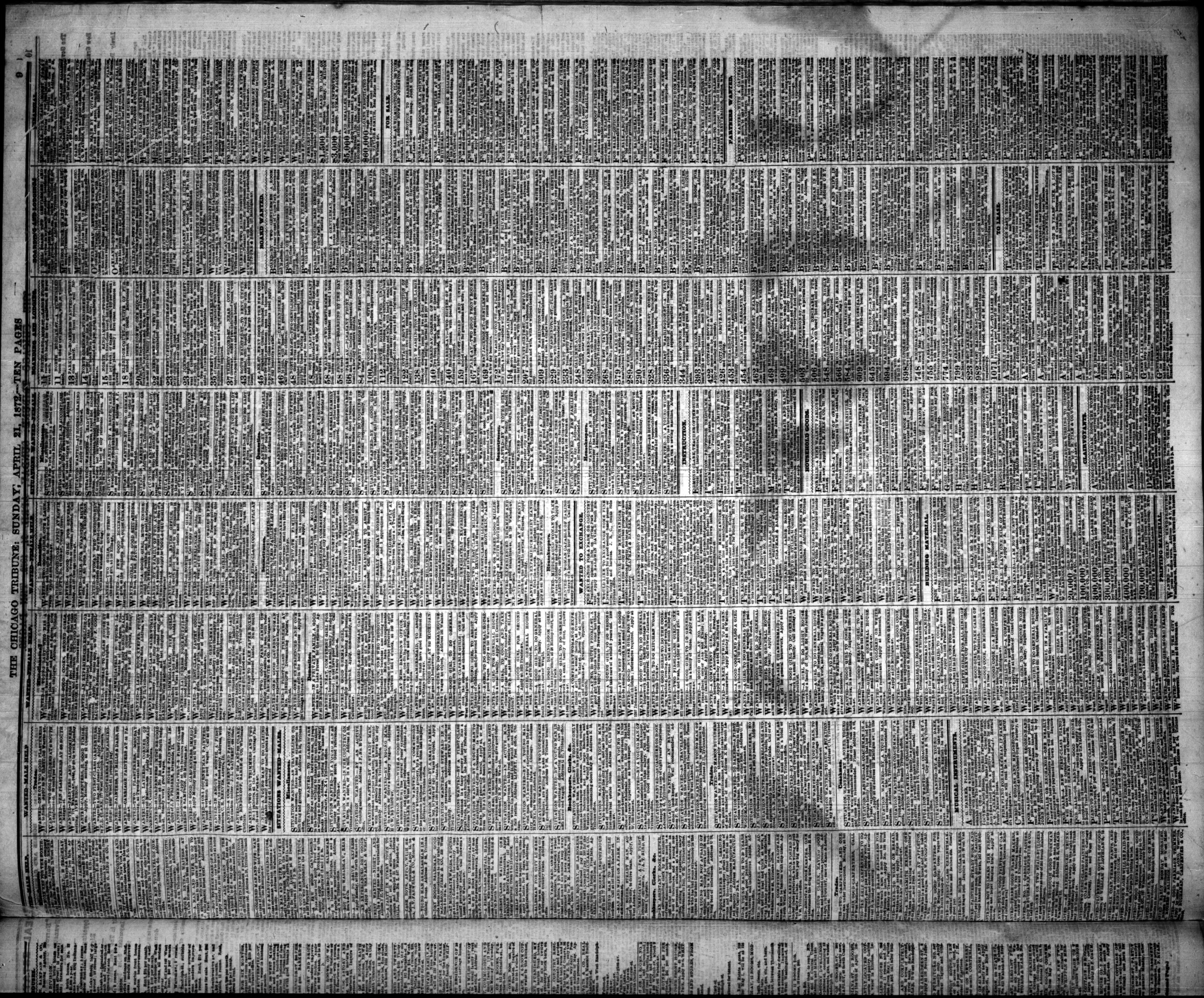

NEW YORK.

The Government Banker Organizes a Demonstration.

How Grant's Cooper Institute Meeting Was Run.

Lively Debate in a Colored M. E. Conference.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

HENRY CLEWS AND HIS MEETING.

NEW YORK, April 20.—The Grant meeting at Cooper's Institute, Wednesday night, is now called "Henry Clews' meeting." Clews circulated the call, used the Post Office to distribute unstamped circulars, called the meeting to order, detailed twenty clerks in his bank to act as Secretaries, and, finally, provided a sumptuous banquet and brass band for the orators. This Mr. Clews is of the firm of Clews, Habicht & Co., London, for whom Grant withdrew Government deposits from Baring Brothers. This financial change was made through an understanding between Grant, Clews, and Secretary Robeson. The house of Baring Brothers was a powerful friend to the United States during the war, but Clews is considered by Grant to be capable of more valuable service at present, and his call, Wednesday night, will doubtless meet fresh rewards.

SICKLES AND THE WORLD.

John Graham, as counsel for General Daniel E. Sickles, has written a letter to the New York *World*, demanding a retraction and apology for certain offensive criticisms in that journal, on pain of a libel suit. The *World* publishes the letter, and Graham is requested to be more explicit as to what he demands. "We have repeatedly and deliberately says the *World*," called Sickles an acquitted murderer, a man who shot the alleged seducer of his wife and afterwards excited the loathing and disgust of gentlemen and men of honor by creeping back to the bed which he had killed another man for defiling. Cohabiting again with the dishonored wife whose shame he had published to the world and proved in a Court of Justice as a means of saving his neck from the gallows. The *World* intimates it has no retraction to make of these remarks, though propriety may have been exceeded by the epithet relating to something else.

THE STOCK MARKET

opened strong, the leading feature being Pacific Mail, which advanced to 64, on the passage by the Senate, at Albany, of the bill authorizing a reduction of the share capital to $10,000,000. The market this afternoon was duller and lower, closing heavy.

MONEY

opened easy at 6@7. The market was more active this afternoon, closing firm on call.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

dull and steady at 109¾@109¾ for prime 60 days' sterling.

GOLD

strong throughout, closing at 111¼@111¾.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

strong and higher. The supply was unusually small; Central Pacific bonds closed at 102½ to 103; Union Pacific firsts at 92@92¾; land grants at 81¾@82; incomes at 87@87½.

A PANIC EXPECTED.

The tone of the street is decidedly bullish. More confidence would be felt in the upward movement if it were not for the fact that some of the strongest men, who carry from $5,000 to 100, 000 stock, are doing the movement. One of these is Moses Y. Clark, who often told, not for speculative purposes, 80,000 shares of stock of companies which they control, have sold out, and are considering the propriety of selling what they hold on investment account, being tempted by the high prices now ruling. If the panic comes, therefore, it will be a violent one. Vanderbilt has no interest in the market, holding only the usual amount of New York Central and Hudson. Drew has some Wabash and a good deal of Canton, and a little Quicksilver preferred.

BREADSTUFFS.

The demand for flour was less active, and low grades tame. Medium and family extras were quiet and unchanged. No. 2 and superfine were more plenty and heavy. At the close there was rather more inquiry for grades under export. Wheat was in less active demand; spring same and winter strong. The high prices asked checks business. At the close the market was strong but quiet for spring, but dull and steady for winter. The inquiry is chiefly for milling. Pork dull; market nominal, but no higher.

CITY ITEMS.

A HIGHLY-COLORED DISCUSSION.

NEW YORK, April 20.—In the Colored Methodist Episcopal Conference, now in session here, an exciting discussion took place on the question of union with the white Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. J. C. Gilbert declared himself utterly opposed to such union. The Methodists are already working in different lives, and if the whites thought they extracted their power from the flowers, they would do better than they extracted by the blacks. Rev. James A. Jones said the voices of colored men and ministers would be lost in conferences with white church oracles. Rev. Thomas James was opposed to union. Colored Methodists extolled under a sort of proscription. It was not all "Nigger pew."—The speaker said if Jesus Christ, with a black skin and woolly hair, came into the synod and entered the pulpit, the people would not go to see him. Bishop Clinton asked, in astonishment, "What! not go to see Jesus?" Rev. Mr. Jackson said: "No, sir; they would have to get whitewashed." Mr. James appealed to Zion Conference to take higher and holier ground, and stand on God's platform—freedom and equality for all men.

WHISKEY FRAUDS TO BE PROSECUTED.

It is said John Drew, Jr., has resigned, and yesterday swore as special Assistant United States District Attorney, under instructions from Washington, since more than enough work to the prosecution of whiskey and tobacco frauds.

THE TRIAL OF STOKES

for the murder of Fisk will, it is said, be soon at one of the Supreme Court Judges is able to hold the Court of Oyer and Terminer.

MORE PROPERTY TO BE CLEANED.

An application by Mr. Leverich for a mandamus to compel Comptroller Green to pay $30,000 for the cleaning was granted to-day.

GARVEY, THE PLASTERER.

It is reported that since the return of Garvey, the Ring plasterer, and his appearance as a witness in the case of Mayor Hall, a large number of persons formerly connected with the Ring came to him for bills of plastering done in former times and promptly paid them. It is said he collected more than a hundred thousand in two days. It is further said if the trial of Hall had proceeded the evidence of these debts would have been established by Garvey's testimony.

THE CONTENTS OF A COFFIN.

This morning a singular looking box, addressed to Superintendent Keiss, was landed from the steamer Manhastan, and, exciting the suspicions of customs officers, was opened, and found to contain a coffin, on the lid of which was the inscription: John C. Heenan, with a representation of the angel Gabriel. The coffin was opened and found to contain a lot of lace curtains, pillows, blankets, &c., and a smaller coffin filled with valuable bronze goods.

IOWA.

Proceedings in the Legislature.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DES MOINES, April 20.—In the Senate, a concurrent resolution was adopted providing that the Attorney-General should examine into all bonds and contracts entered into between the State of Iowa, and all parties in connection with the foundation of the new capitol building, including the commissioners under the laws of the thirteenth General Assembly, and to commence suit against said parties for damages sustained by the State for neglect of duty under said bonds and contract, if, in his opinion, such damages are recoverable. Bills were passed, to-day, making an appropriation of $6,600 for the improvement of the Iowa State Penetentiary; for the relief of John Garraghty, giving him $1,000 for services rendered in 1859; fixing the time for holding Courts in the Thirteenth Judicial District, and providing that the Judges might change said time; certain fixed for holding such courts; attaching Webster County to the Eleventh Judicial District, and providing for the publication and distribution of the Session Laws by the Secretary of State; to legalize the action of the Board of Supervisors of Wayne County in the location of a county road; allowing the formation of independent school districts of cities in two counties; providing that lands used as roadbed for railroads shall not be assessed for taxation to the owners of adjoining lands; for the appointment of the collection of taxes by Township Collectors in certain cases; making appropriation for the payment of the expenses of the Seventeenth General Assembly; providing for the taxation of insurance companies; providing for the recording and acknowledgment of deeds in certain cases, and making valid deeds and instruments in writing; abolishing capital punishment and regulating punishment by imprisonment for capital crimes shall be granted only by the Legislature. A concurrent resolution was adopted which provides that the new Board of Capitol Commissioners shall have power to modify, or, with consent of the contractors, cancel the contract with Wistle and Robertson for the remainder of the stone required for the completion of the foundation and outside walls of the capitol building, and arranging each terms as the Board shall deem just, and for the best interests of the State, but that such contract shall not be modified or cancelled so as to release said contractors for any damages sustained by reason of the poor material heretofore furnished. The following were introduced in the House: Amendments to bill in relation to ditch drains and water-courses; also, in House amendments to a bill providing for the erection of an addition to the Penitentiary at Anamosa; also, in amendments to the bill legalizing the ordinances of the City of Waverly. Also, a memorial to and joint concurrent resolutions authorizing the Secretary of State to furnish paper for the publication of a pamphlet for the Board of Immigration; also, in amendments to a bill apportioning the State into representative districts.

In the House, bills were passed, to-day, modifying the law in reference to stock running at large, so that the bill should not relate to portions thereof, nor to the fencing of railroads; changing the time of holding meetings of School Boards from Saturday to Sunday; in deference to the views of the Centennial Day." Dividing the State into representative districts, and altering the ratio of representation; to allow the Census Board to change certain lines bounding the State for the purpose of enlarging the Governor's Square, without expense to the State; also, fixing the appointment of short-hand reporters by the Judges of District Courts, what in Judges at such appointment will facilitate the business of the Courts; to amend the law relating to schools, enlarging the powers and duties of Directors, &c. The House Capital Punishment bill was returned from the Senate with an amendment providing that the Governor shall not grant a pardon to any person convicted of murder in the first degree, unless by request of the General Assembly. The House concurred was concurred in, so the bill became a law.

FOREIGN.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, April 20.—The *North German Gazette* to-day, again denies the truth of the London *Daily Telegraph's* alarming statements in regard to the relations of France and Germany, but takes occasion to remark that the last speech of Thiers, previous to the adjournment of the National Assembly, has produced an unpleasant feeling throughout Germany, and that the character of the French war budget dictates caution on the part of Germany. "The fact is evident," says the *Gazette*, "that Germany cannot permit France to hastily relinquish pledges she has made to Germany, and, consequently, the occupation of French territory by German troops will be longer than would be necessary if the relations between the two nations were more favorable.

The difficulties between masters and journeymen carpenters, in this city, has not been settled, and this morning the masters discharged their employes and closed their shops.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, April 20.—Additional papers bearing upon the Alabama claims, were presented in both Houses of Parliament last night. These papers consisted of the formal correspondence which took place between the two Governments on the subject, and a note from Lord Tenterden to Mr. Bancroft Davis accompanying the British counter case.

The presentation of Lady Twiss at Court has been officially cancelled.

The bill passed by the American Atlantic Telegraph Company is issued. The Company proposes to lay a cable from Milford Haven, in Wales, to Eyre Beach, N. S. The rates of messages will be fixed at is 8d per word, with a charge in gross for address of 8s. This rate is about one third of the tariff of the present companies.

One hundred and fifteen emigrants sailed from Liverpool for Canada, Wednesday last, under the auspices of Miss Rye's project for the relief of the English poor by their colonization in the Dominion.

Miss Nellie Grant, daughter of President Grant, left Leamington for London, this morning. The railway station was decorated with British and American flags. A bouquet was presented to the young lady, who departed amidst cheers. A large crowd of people gathered to see her off. Miss Grant, after remaining in London for some days, will proceed to the Continent.

One of the walls of a building in course of erection in the town of Kirkaldy, Scotland, fell this morning, causing a deplorable loss of life. Nine masons, who were engaged at work upon the building, were suffocated.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, April 20.—Early this morning twenty guns were heard and rockets seen going up as the inward steamer Parthian, which sailed from the Clyde on the 6th inst., indicated her approach. On arrival, however, she was found to be the steamer Peruvian, from Liverpool, the 6th inst. Some of the passengers were transferred on the Nova Scotia steamer Acadia, and was in a dangerous position. Tugs were sent to her assistance, and her passengers, 700 in number, put aboard, and sent on board a schooner which had previously gone to her assistance. The tugs accompanied the steamer to Liverpool, and she now lies in the stream, having lost her cargo. Her compartments are filled with water, hatches nearly gone down and altogether the condition of her bottom. The place where she went aground is a very bad one, and in another hour she would probably have ceased to please.

The ice is moving out of Eastern and Cape Breton ports. Spring trade is opening briskly. Many coasters are arriving.

HALIFAX, April 20.—The latest news from the steamship Peruvian is, that necessary repairs to her steamer will be completed, and will proceed on her voyage to Baltimore with but little delay.

FRANCE.

PARIS, April 20.—Gambetta delivered an address at Havre last night, in which he alluded to the present condition of France, and the necessity of a more definite form of government. He said the first step to be adopted, to secure needed reform was the dissolution of the present legislative body of France, and the election of a Republican Assembly.

PARIS, April 20.—The Archbishop of Paris and several other members of the Catholic clergy, having issued decrees promulgating the decree of Papal infallibility, a number of newspapers in this city declare these decrees illegal.

Mr. Washburne, United States Minister to France, has left Paris with his family, and will be absent until the first of May.

SPAIN.

PARIS, April 20.—It is announced that Don Carlos will soon publish a manifesto protesting against the validity of late elections, on the ground that gross irregularities occurred at many of polling places. He will also forbid Carlists who were elected Deputies to the Cortes taking their seats in that body.

MADRID, April 20.—Don Carlos has already carried out his intention of issuing a manifesto protesting against the validity of the late general election for members of the Cortes were conducted. His protest, which also adjures the partisans who were elected to the Cortes not to take their seats in that body, is now in circulation in this city.

CUBA.

HAVANA, April 20.—An official telegram from Captain General Valmaseda, says the American Consul at Kingston is very active in encouraging Melchor Aguero, leader of the Egar Stewart expedition, on charge of having committed the murders of the crew of the Virginius. Large quantities of arms and ammunition of the Stewartare being discharged. The British and Spanish war ships are anchored along the Stewart, with orders to prevent her leaving at any cost.

Another telegram says that the Edgar Stewart, after running along the northern and southern coasts of Cuba, was compelled to anchor off the port of Kingston, where, by agreement with the American and Spanish Consuls, she is detained.

CHINA.

LONDON, April 20.—A telegram from Hong Kong brings intelligence of a terrible marine disaster off the coast of China. The steamer Awate came into collision with the steamer Rona, and the latter vessel was sunk. Sixty persons are known to have been lost or missing, and it is believed that they have all been lost.

POLITICAL.

Liberal Republicans Meeting in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—A meeting of the Liberal Republicans of this city was held to-day. Colonel McClure, who was called to the chair, said that the meeting had been convened for the purpose of making arrangements to attend the Cincinnati Convention, which was a mass movement without being entangled with the usual political machinery, hence the necessity for this informal meeting.

General William B. Thomas wanted to know if he was in a Grant meeting. He was going to Cincinnati; but he could not participate in the movement if the call, as published, was binding on those who went. He observed that the Democratic party was dead, indeed, and promptly paid them. It is said he collected more than a hundred thousand in two days. It is further said if the trial of Hall had proceeded the evidence of these debts would have been established by Garvey's testimony.

Colonel McClure said the English of the whole thing was rebellion and the bringing of it to the dignity of revolution. Five years ago there might have been a necessity for the exercise of military power in the South, but not now. The speaker differed with Grant on principle. The most dangerous thing the free institutions of the country had to meet was the policy of General Grant to carry the elections by the force of the bayonet. The South, to my mind, has been more desolated since the war than before it.

General Cake said that he would rather not be bound to support any nominees outside of the Republican party.

Mr. Ryther moved that an Executive Committee of thirteen, of which Colonel McClure be Chairman, be appointed, to have general charge of the whole movement. Agreed to.

After some further remarks the meeting adjourned.

The Tennessee Liberal Republicans.

NASHVILLE, April 20.—The Committee of Liberal Republicans of Nashville and vicinity have appointed a strong delegation for that District to the Cincinnati National Republican Convention. Among the delegates are Jos. S. Fowlor, late United States Senator; Judge Chamberlain; G. P. Thurstein, late of General Thomas' staff; J. W. Larsmore; Jno. Ruhm, late Secretary of the Republican State Convention. Large delegations from East and West Tennessee are expected. The Reunion and Reform Association of Nashville has appointed the following delegates: Strong, of the best citizens, to the Reunion and Reform Mass Convention, May 1.

The Ambition of A. Johnson.

NASHVILLE, TENN., April 20.—Andrew Johnson, in an interview with an East Tennessee politician, emphatically declared he would not be a candidate for the lower branch of Congress. He intimated a desire to go to the Senate.

Louisiana Democracy.

NEW ORLEANS, April 20.—The Democratic State Convention was adjourned to June 24, and postponed the nomination of a State ticket until that time.

Supreme Lodge of Pythias.

BALTIMORE, April 20.—The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias, in session here, have elected the following officers for two years: Supreme Venerable Patriarch, Samuel Read, New Jersey; Counsellor, Henry Barry, Illinois; Vice Chancellor, S. S. Davis, New Hampshire; Recording and Corresponding Secretary, Caleb H. Barnes, District of Columbia (re-elected); Bank, Wm. O. Porter, Pennsylvania (re-elected); Guide, Wm. H. Keighley, Ohio; Inner Sentry, Joseph D. Weeks, Iowa; Outer Steward, Chas. H. Hodgson, West Virginia.

The Lodge will adjourn *sine die* to-day.

Treasurer Arrangements at Council Bluffs.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, April 20.—The Street Railroad Company of Council Bluffs are building a new line of track from the Union Depot, up Broadway to the Chicago, North-western Railroad Depot at the Union Pacific transfer grounds and the bridge to Omaha. The dummy engines ordered by Superintendent Kerr for the company have arrived and street cars will go through every half hour.

A man named Galvin, switchman at the Union Pacific transfer, was killed last night while coupling cars at the depot, this afternoon, when a train passed over his leg, severing it from his body. He has a large family depending on his labor.

The treasurer depot present an unusual scene of activity. A town has already sprung up around it. The world's productions are to be seen transferred from line to line of the great roads centering here.

An eight foot vein of coal has been struck at Emerson, Mills County, and will be worked up.

OSHKOSH.

Death of Hon. George Hyer.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

OSHKOSH, Wis., April 20.—George Hyer, editor of the Oshkosh *Times*, one of the oldest editors in the State, died this day. He had a severe illness in March, but was recovering, when a relapse set in and in a few hours he was dead. His was born in Franklin County, N. Y., June 15, 1818; served apprenticeships in the printing business with Preston King, in the office of the St. Lawrence *Gazette*, at Ogdensburgh, N. Y.; came to Milwaukee and entered the office of the Milwaukee *Advertiser*, with R. Richards, in 1836; soon after entered the office of the Madison *Enquirer*, with Josiah Noonan; was member of the First Constitutional Convention, State Senator in 1851, member of Assembly in 1853, and, for several years, President of the Wisconsin Editorial Association. On his removal from Madison to Oshkosh, in 1867, he began the publication of the Oshkosh *Times*, which paper will take place at Madison Monday afternoon. The remains leave here in the morning under escort of the Knights Templar.

FORT WAYNE.

Welcome of the New Catholic Bishop.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., April 20.—Rev. Joseph Dwenger, the newly-appointed Catholic Bishop of this diocese, arrived at Fort Wayne, reached this city at noon to-day. The depot grounds were crowded with members of his church and citizens, to welcome the distinguished divine, and he was escorted to the residence of Mr. Ryan's, the procession, headed by a band of music, banners, and flowers. Crosses were borne at the head of the several societies. The Bishop was seated in an open carriage with Mayor Randall. To-morrow he preaches in the Cathedral.

A petition has been filed for an order dissolving the firm of Ewing, Smith & Co., and that a receiver be appointed. They are the heaviest tobacco dealers in this part of the State.

Telegraphic Brevities.

On the 8th inst. the ice was firm at Sault Ste Marie.

—The grape crop of California is damaged one-fifth to one-half by the late frosts. Peaches, figs, apricots, nectarines, and English walnuts are also badly damaged in some localities.

—The wife of Mr. E. B. Haywood, of the Boston *Journal*, died of apoplexy on the 19th.

—Shocks of an earthquake were felt in Memphis, Tenn., at 9 o'clock, yesterday morning. The oscillations were north and south, and continued two minutes, creating considerable alarm.

—The Committee of Reformers at Baltimore will, in a few days, report a regular church indictment against Rev. Dr. Huston, according to the Methodist law.

—The Boston beat the Harvards, yesterday, at base ball, 7 to 1.

—Fires are raging among the pines in South Jersey, near Centreton and Rosenbergen. Nearly a thousand acres of woodland have been swept by the flames, causing a loss estimated at $40,000.

War Department Weather Prognostics.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Lowest barometer over Wisconsin will probably move eastwardly into Canada, followed by a high barometer northwest to the Atlantic. Brisk easterly to southerly winds are probable for Lakes Michigan, Huron, Erie, and Ontario during the night, veering to northwesterly during the night over the upper lakes, and Sunday morning over the lower lakes. Cloudy weather, with probably rain, will prevail over the Middle and New England States on Sunday, followed by clearing and colder weather. It will prevail north and west of the Ohio Valley, with clearing weather, and will extend eastward over the Middle States and Lakes. The Secretary signals are ordered for Milwaukee, Chicago, Grand Haven, Detroit, Toledo, and Cleveland.

QUIPS.

Pas de deux—Father of twins!

—Poor girls! a burning shame.

—A man in the write place.—An editor.

—Spell-bound—Children at school.

—Deserve success—Teams in fields and long suffering.

—A new pair of ride—Twins.

—Spring goods—Baby jumpers.

—Bowl over—Ten pins.

—Is there a man in the house? Because he has been to sea.

—If thine enemy wrong thee, buy each of his children a drum.

—A Mississippi editor boasts that his State has a Deity Varden Legislature,—mixed, black, yellow, and white.

—"The Sight of Hell," by an English Catholic priest who has not died yet, is to be followed by "Heaven and Hell," by the same author.

—A Hartford three-year old consoled his mother, watching by the death bed of his little sister, by saying: "Mamma, don't cry! If Nellie wants to die, let her die."

—This is from the Boston *Commercial Bulletin's* lawyer's column: "Marriage without a marriage ceremony is the most certain. Put a little in her tea."

—Why should the man who opens oysters and the man who cooks them both be admitted to holy orders? Because one's a pryer and the other's a fryer.

—A pen portrait in an Indianapolis paper of Godlove Orth says "he uses a deal of hair-dye." Well, don't they? Godlove Orth is young.

—A Boston girl being asked if she had not once been engaged to a "party by the name of Jackson," said at the time a different gentleman intervened. "I remember the circumstance perfectly, but am not certain as to the name."

—"Do you good?" asked a bright little boy of Miss Bud, his Sabbath School teacher, the other day, "why, I knew you wasn't pretty, but I always thought you was good."

—A stranger, meeting a man in the streets of Boston, a few days since, roughly accosted him with, "Here, I want to go to the Tremont House." The deliberate reply was: "Well, you can go if you won't be gone long."

—A bright little girl at Milton, Wis., having been required to write a sentence embodying the word "carrion," presented the following to her teacher: "Bad children often carrion in church when they ought to be still."

—At a Sunday School near Hillard Station, O., some time since, the Superintendent asked the infant class, consisting of about fifty, to be marshalled for a few moments, when a little boy rose up and said, "Done Pair of 'em."

—"Which of the Feejee Islands are you from?" asked a visitor of one of Barnum's cannibals the other day. "Hyperor," belief," was the reply of the ferocious savage, with emphasis.

—The following affecting query was addressed to a spiritualist by a postcript lover:

"If you were a ghost, and I was a boy,
And I got into your master's pant,
Would you bite me very hard
Or would you only scare me?"

—A party of gentlemen in the Senate chamber discussing politics before a country store attracted the attention of an aged agriculturist. "There's considerable excitement down to Washington," remarked the latter, when he observed the approach of his wife; and, drawing his team, he lightly shouted to a consumptive individual on the outskirts, "What's a fool?" "Twelve inches," was the sardonic reply. The aged agriculturist swore some and drove on.

—Overheard by a lady: "I should like a ticket for the train." Booking clerk (who thinks he will make a joke): "Yes'm; will you go in the compartment for ladies and children, or with the gentlemen?" Lady: "Sir!"

—Well, if you are a specimen of what I shall experience in the passenger train, give me a ticket for the saddle train by all means."

—Where else than in Cork could such a delicious legal bull as this be erected? We copy from the Telegraph of that city: "Tim Finlay was fined 2s. 6d. for attempting to drown himself, the Magistrate believing that he had no intention of committing suicide."

—"Madam," said a boarder to his landlady, "I am very sure this pepper is half peas." "Peas," cried the lady, indignant up. "Peas, indeed! That pepper is Smalt & Hommerly's very best. You don't know pepper, I'm sure, if you think there's peas in that!" "For all that, madam," said the boarder, "I'm sure that pepper is half peas—p-p-p-